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ADOPT LIBERAL PARTY'S ADVICE

ASKING GOVERNMENT FOR A COMMISSION

Procedure Voted Down When Proposed by John Oliver is in Favor Now

Time and again the Conservatives have adopted as their policy a Liberal policy which formerly they derided. Now they are adopting, in one regard at least, a form of procedure which two years ago they laughed at and voted down. This is in regard to the method of inquiry into the high price being charged for coal, with the mines right at the doors of the people of British Columbia.

This has been before the House off and on for three years. Dr. Geo. A. McGuire, one of the Vancouver members, on February 10, 1908, moved that the Dominion government be asked to have the department of trade of commerce inquire whether a combine or understanding existed to keep up the price of coal. John Oliver moved, seconded by H. C. Brewster, as an amendment, that a select committee of five members be appointed, arguing that the matter was one for inquiry by either a legislative committee or a royal commission. The government and its Socialist allies voted the Liberal proposal down.

On February 24, 1909, Mr. Oliver moved that the lieutenant-governor be asked to appoint a royal commission to inquire into the question. An attempt was made to shelve this on a point of order, but the Speaker held the resolution to be perfectly in order. On March 5 Dr. McGuire moved as an amendment to this that the resolution of the year before, calling for federal government action, be reaffirmed, with an urgent request that inquiry be instituted. Again the Conservative party declared in favor of this step, and against a provincial royal commision. This time the three Socialist members voted with the Liberals on the amendment, but on the motion as amended in Dr. McGuire's terms being put they once more voted with the government.

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COUNCIL TO SIT TO-MORROW EVENING

City Solicitor to Get Instructions on Legislation Now Being Sought

For the first time in many years, possibly for the first time in the history of the municipality where no unusual circumstance has intervened, there will be no regular weekly meeting of the city council this evening. This is in consequence of the bringing into operation of the new system of procedure in connection with council business. Unless some special matter arises the council will only meet once a month, the board of works, which holds sessions on Friday evenings, transacting much which would otherwise be dealt with by the parent body.

Mayor Morley has, however, summoned a special meeting of the council for to-morrow evening for the purpose of hearing a report from the city solicitor, F. A. McDiarmid, on the various matters which are to be brought before the legislature at its present session. Mr. McDiarmid has been working on various matters for some time, and will know to-day in what shape they will be discussed by the legislature. He desires some instructions from the council on certain points, and these will be given by the board to-morrow evening.

REPUBLIC PENSIONS EX-KING MANUEL

Will Receive $3,300 a Month If He Remains Away From Portugal

(Times Leased Wire.)

Lisbon, Jan. 30.—It was officially announced to-day that the Portuguese republic has decided to pension ex-King Manuel. He will receive $3,300 a month and all he has to do to earn it is to remain away from Portugal and not tinker with the political machine.

It was stated that his pension for November and December had been sent him.

RUDYARD KIPLING'S FATHER DEAD.

London, Jan. 30.—John Lockwood Kipling, father of Rudyard Kipling, is dead here to-day. The elder Kipling was an architectural designer and a teacher of art. He designed the illustrations in his son's "Outward Bound."

A. B. FRASER, SR., IS CALLED HOME

HE DIED ON SUNDAY AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS

Was for Many Years Prominent in Business Life of Victoria

The news of the death of A. B. Fraser, sr., which occurred early yesterday morning at the family residence, came as a great shock to his many friends in the city and particularly to the business community with which he was so prominently identified. Though critically ill for upwards of a week, this was not generally known, and therefore the announcement of his death was unexpected.

On Sunday morning, the 22nd inst., Mr. Fraser did not rise as usual but was quite bright. About luncheon hour, however, he was found to be in a stupor and the family immediately summoned a physician. A medical examination disclosed that he had suffered a stroke of paralysis which had rendered him unconscious. Every possible aid was given him but he never rallied after the first seizure, and remained in a comatose state until death came, at 6.50 yesterday morning, at which hour all the members of the family resident in the city were at the bedside.

The late Mr. Fraser was in his 73rd year. He was a native of Liverpool, England, where he was born on November 5, 1838. At an early age he became identified with the shipping

A. B. FRASER, SENIOR.
Well known Victoria merchant and shipping man, whose death occurred yesterday.

industry, which proved to be his life calling, for the major portion of his career was in connection with that business. He was in business for many years in Liverpool, being owner of the Fulton Iron Works, where many large orders for the government were executed, especially for condensing plants on which he held a patent.

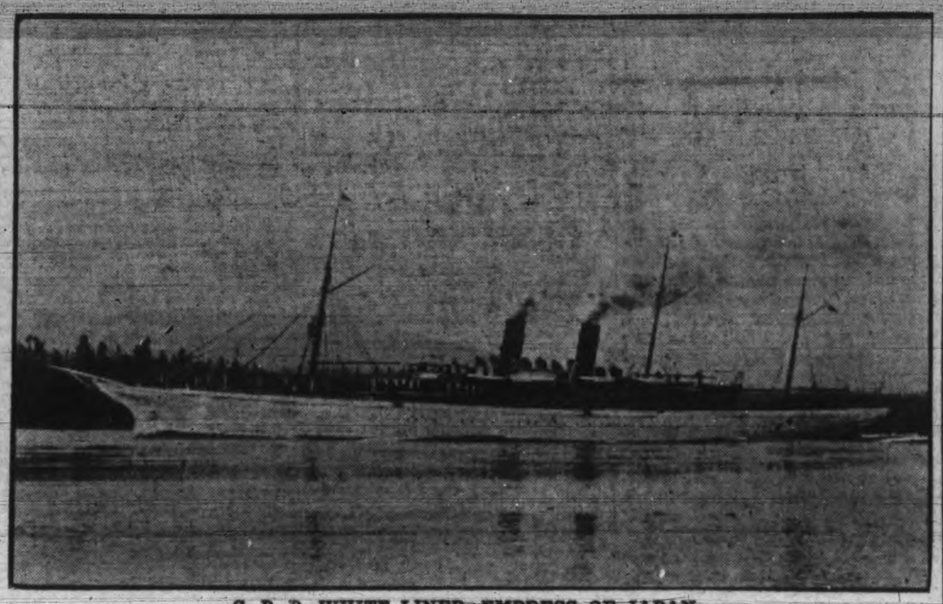
Shortly after the death of Mrs. Fraser, in 1897, he paid his first visit to British Columbia, coming to Victoria to see his son, A. B. Fraser, jr. He became so impressed with the possibilities of the province and the prospects of business that he decided to establish himself in this city. He purchased the wholesale hardware business of Marvin & Tilton, with premises at the corner of Wharf and Bastion streets, and on his return to England sent out his son, W. S. Fraser, to manage it, coming out himself with other members of his family the year following.

Mr. Fraser took a deep but unostentatious interest in all matters that affected the best interests of Victoria, and was of the best type of high-minded citizenship. He was the first treasurer of the Tourist Association, was an ex-president of the Navy League, and a member of the Board of Trade, and at the time of his death was chairman of the Pilotage Board and one of the managers of the B. C. Protestant Orphans' Home.

The surviving members of his family are: A. B. Fraser, jr., of Lee & Fraser; Walter S. Fraser and G. G. Fraser, of W. S. Fraser & Co., Ltd.; Frederick H. Fraser, of Liverpool, England; Mrs. G. S. Godfrey, of Post City, Texas; Mrs. Alfred Hood, Battery street, city; Misses Ethel M. Fraser, Amy C. Fraser, and Bertha E. Fraser, of Victoria.

Mr. Fraser was a member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, and in politics he was a life-long Liberal.

The funeral has been arranged to take place to-morrow afternoon from the family residence, 1234 Fisguard street, at 2.30 o'clock, and will be private.



C. P. R. WHITE LINER, EMPRESS OF JAPAN.
This fine vessel left Victoria Saturday, on the outward voyage of her one hundredth round trip between this port and the Orient.

CITY NOT "LEMON TO BE SQUEEZED"

CITY ENGINEER ON PAVING CONTRACTS

Cold Shoulder to Foreign Concerns—Local Labor to Be Protected

The news that Victoria will this year embark upon a large asphalt paving programme has reached the ears of many concerns in the United States who make a business of exploiting municipalities which undertake such enterprises, and the result is that the city engineer, Angus Smith, is these days being besieged by agents of such companies who would like to "operate" in Victoria. Mr. Smith, however, made it clear in an interview with the Times this morning that he is not disposed to lend a friendly ear to these overtures. He said:

"Victoria must not on this occasion be left in the position of a lemon to be squeezed by people who are here to-day and gone to-morrow. I take the position—and I am sure that in this I am in accord with the mayor and aldermen—that in executing the large amount of work we will have in hand this year we should see that established local industries are favored over alien rivals and that British labor shall be employed. Then, again, in letting contracts for paving we should indulge in no experiments.

"Agents of paving concerns with headquarters in the United States are flocking here looking for contracts. I am not disposed to pay much heed to their representations. The experience of other cities in Canada has been under similar circumstances that in the event of contracts being given to such people they extract all the profit possible from the job and then fold their tents like the Arabs and as silently steal away.'

"I have no fear that the city council will make any mistake of this sort this year. I have consulted with the mayor and Ald. Gleason, chairman of the streets committee of the council, and they agree with me that local concerns should be given the preference in the paving contracts, and that every precaution must be taken to see that the laboring classes in the city profit to the maximum extent from the carrying out of the work.

"Another thing which the council has decided upon is, I think, very much in the interests of the city—that is, to obtain from the legislature at its present session an amendment to the Local Improvement Act which will enable the corporation to let its paving contracts this year on the same basis as those which have been let up to the present, the successful bidder leaving 15 per cent. of the contract price in the hands of the city for a period of ten years, the contractor during the life of this agreement to keep the pavement in a proper state of repair, the amount thus held back by the city being forfeited to the corporation in the event of the materials and workmanship being faulty.

"The property owners consider this the very best safeguard that could be devised and are perfectly satisfied with it, and the city solicitor, F. A. McDiarmid, is heartily co-operating in the effort to meet their wishes and has arranged that the municipal committee of the legislature shall be asked to make the necessary amendment.

"My staff is now busy at the work of preparing plans and specifications preliminary to calling for tenders for the paving work. It is likely that we shall allow reputable paving companies to submit alternative bids, as in the past. We should be in a position to invite bids within ten days' time. I understand it is the intention of the council to rush the work with all possible speed, that is, by letting the contracts promptly, permit the contractors to take advantage of the good weather as soon as spring opens, and by this means complete the same before the wet weather sets in again in the fall."

THREE HUNDRED PROBABLY PERISHED

Villages Inundated by Tidal Wave Which Followed Volcanic Eruption

(Times Leased Wire.)

Manila, Jan. 30.—Manila residents to-day are alarmed over reports from observers sent out to study the eruptions of the volcano Taal. The island on which the volcano is located, sank two feet after the eruption which was followed by two prolonged earthquakes. Observatory reports say that Manila also is sinking.

Latest reports say the eruption of Taal was followed by a tidal wave which killed 20 natives, and that the whole population of the island has fled to higher ground.

Death Roll Increased.

Manila, Jan. 30.—(Later)—That at least 50 persons and possibly 300, have perished through a tidal wave which overwhelmed an island on which the volcano Taal is situated, is reported here to-day.

An American school teacher has informed the government that all the villages along the western shore of Lake Taal have been inundated. He believed that 300 persons had perished.

HUNDREDS MADE HOMELESS BY FLOODS

Property Loss In Northern West Virginia Estimated at $250,000

(Times Leased Wire.)

Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 30.—Hundreds of families were driven from their homes and $250,000 worth of property was destroyed by floods in northern West Virginia. In Mannington the streets were under a foot of water, cellars were flooded and gas and water mains washed out. The city will be in darkness to-night.

Crops in the vicinity were washed out and farmers forced to move their families to higher ground. Heavy rains for the last three weeks were the cause.

CAPTAIN MURDERED.

Killed in Fight With Mutineers Who Make Their Escape.

Colonial Beach, Va., Jan. 30.—Mutinous sailors of the dredge Irene Ruth, of Fairmont, Md., ran amuck aboard the vessel Saturday, murdered Capt. Alton Dorsey and crushed the skull of First Mate John Adams. One sailor escaped the mutineers by jumping overboard and swimming ashore. Feeling had existed between several members of the crew and the officers. After the fight the mutineers moved the dredge into shallow water and made their escape. A posse started in pursuit.

THREE KILLED BY EXPLOSION.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Jan. 30.—News has reached Soo that three men, Jack Thompson, J. B. MacKie and Oscar Nansyman, were killed by a premature explosion of dynamite at the Helen mine, and that another man, name unknown, is probably fatally injured.

FIGHT AGAINST TRADE AGREEMENT

U. S. CONGRESSMEN GETTING INTO LINE

Representatives of Agricultural States Will Oppose the Convention

(Times Leased Wire.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.—The line-up to-day of congressmen on the Canadian reciprocity treaty shows that the fight is to be waged entirely on sectional and not on political lines. The representatives from the agricultural states will oppose the government, and those from the manufacturing communities will be in its favor. Opponents of the measure to-day are using all the pressure at their command to induce the House ways and means committee to pigeon hole the treaty referred to them.

AEROPLANE DRIVES CATTLE.

Houston, Tex., Jan. 30.—It is no longer Rene Simon, the aviator, but Rene Simon, the cowboy. The little French airman has added new laurels to his record, when, for the first time in the history of aviation, he showed that herding cattle with aeroplanes is possible. Simon left the aviation field, and heading across the prairies, darted directly for a herd of cattle grazing half a miles away. Cowboys were arriving preparatory to rounding the animals, when Simon bolted down and circled around the panic-stricken herd. He soon had them on a trot towards the aviation field. He drove them up to the fence separating the field from the prairie, and then to prove he could do almost anything he pleased with the machine, started them off westward, delivering them to the cowboys.

CONDITIONS IMPROVED.

American Missionary in the Congo Says Cruelties Have Ceased.

Brussels, Jan. 30.—In connection with the debate on the budget in the Chamber of Deputies, M. Renin, minister of the colonies, read a report from an American missionary, Dr. E. Clarke, addressed to the Belgian minister at Washington, in which the writer declared no trace now existed of the cruelties and injustice of the old regime in the Congo, that great changes had been introduced to improve the lot of the blacks and that complaints against forced labor had altogether ceased.

IN CRITICAL CONDITION.

Archbishop Ryan Believed to Be Dying at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 30.—Weakened by his efforts in behalf of the firemen's benefit cause, Archbishop Ryan, 80, is believed to be dying to-day of heart disease, and prayers in his behalf have been asked of all Catholic churches. The archbishop was greatly interested in the firemen's benefit and worked unceasingly to make it a success.

Dr. Anders L. Place announced to-day that his condition was critical. Archbishop Ryan's health has been failing for a year.

TEMPLE FOR FEDERATION.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.—Plans for the erecting of a $1,000,000 office building here to be used as headquarters of the American Federation of Labor were announced to-day by the executive board of the federation. A committee has been appointed to draw up plans and make estimates.

INCREASING FORCE ALONG BORDER

MORE U. S. TROOPS TO PATROL BOUNDARY

Will Take Stringent Measures to Prevent Passage of Mexican Insurgents

(Times Leased Wire.)

Huacaha, Ariz., Jan. 30.—It is reported to-day that additional American troops for duty on American and Arizona lines have been requested, following the outbreak at Mexicila. If the situation does not improve, the Fourth cavalry will be transferred from the north for border duty.

A United States pack train with 70 days' rations for troops stationed at Naco and Douglas is on its way to the border to-day. Another train has been dispatched from Fort Huachuca to Nogales.

A mining man from Montezuma reported to-day that the Jefe Politics of that town was slain in a battle with rebels. The revolutionists and the Jefe, with a small force, clashed on the outskirts of Montezuma. Details are lacking.

It is reported that the United States authorities have ceased to stop individuals caught armed, and now act only when an armed body attempts to cross the border.

Madero's forces are being recruited and reorganized in the Sahuaripa district.

Mayor Arnold of Canea considers the situation there so critical that he has sent his wife to Tucson. Ammunition for the federal army is being shipped from Bisbee to Cananea.

American troops along the border will be tribled, according to the latest reports.

The report that Col. Kostilisky, commanding the Sonora rurales, has been killed in action with the rebels, is denied by the officials of the Diaz government.

Revolt Spreading.

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 30.—American cavalry arrived at Marfa, Texas, to-day to relieve the United States infantry which has been patrolling the Mexican border in an effort to maintain neutrality. The cavalry is under orders to resort to the most stringent action to prevent the passage of Mexican insurgents.

Reports from Naco, in the state of Sonora, to-day say that revolution there is imminent, and that a company of Mexican federal troops have arrived there to overawe the Maderists.

Border Town Seized.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 30.—The Mexican revolutionists seized Mexicali as part of a carefully laid plan to recruit large numbers of their countrymen from southern California, according to John Kenneth Turner, the writer, who has been keeping in touch with the leaders among the rebel element in Los Angeles.

"There are thousands of Mexicans in California," said Turner to-day, "who are anxious to join in the fight against Diaz. They have been deterred by the fact that, in crossing the line in an armed body, they risk arrest by the American authorities for violating the neutrality laws, while if they attempt to cross singly they are likely to fall into the hands of the Diaz forces on the other side. With a border point held by their friends they are neither violating any American laws nor running much risk of arrest on either side by crossing, armed or not, to enlist themselves under the banner of the revolution.

"The men who took Mexicali, according to statements made to me by some of their number within the past few days, had assurances that once in the field, they would be joined by not less than 300 small farmers on the Mexican side. They also counted on large numbers of recruits from this side.

"The sheriff of Imperial county is using his office to prevent this. He has sworn in a large number of deputies and forbade anyone crossing the line into Mexico. This is clearly an illegal misuse of his office to serve the interests of Mexico despotism."

Reinforcing Federal Troops.

San Diego, Jan 30.—It was reported to-day from Tia Juana, across the Mexican line, and from Enzenada, the capital of lower California, that all the government's armed men that could be spared from ordinary police duty had been sent to Maxacali.

WOMAN STRANGLED.

Body Found in New York Hotel—Police Fail to Solve Mystery.

New York, Jan. 30.—Efforts by the New York police to solve the mystery surrounding the finding of a woman strangled to death in a Sixth Avenue hotel have been fruitless to-day. The woman's companion, registered as John Smith, Mont Clair, N. J., cannot be found.

ACCUSED OF BLACKMAIL.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barr and H. H. Carroll must face trial for blackmail after having, it is alleged, secured a cheque for $250 by badger game methods from John C. Robey. The trio were closeted for several hours with Prosecuting Attorney John F. Murphy yesterday, and as a result a direct information charging blackmail will be filed against all three.

CANADA'S NEXT GOVERNOR-GENERAL

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT TO SUCCEED EARL GREY

His Royal Highness Confirms Report of Appointment in Speech in London

(Special to the Times.)

London, Jan. 30.—Speaking at the banquet at the Guildhall, when the guests included the Duke of Connaught, Lord Strathcona and agents general of Canada, the Lord Mayor, in referring to the Duke of Connaught's appointment, said they had all read the announcement with the keenest interest. Whilst their first feelings were of regret at their loss, great though that was, there would be a corresponding gain to Canada, and they congratulated the Dominion on their good fortune.

In the course of his reply the Duke of Connaught said that it would be shortly his pride to be closely and he hoped affectionately associated with the Dominion of Canada.

INSPECTION OF HOTELS.

(Special to the Times.)

Toronto, Jan. 30.—The board of directors of the Commercial Travellers Association on Saturday appointed a committee to lay before the provincial government a resolution passed at the last annual meeting of the association, urging the regulation and inspection of hotels in local option municipalities with a view to securing proper accommodation for the travelling public. The committee will also lay their views before the Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance.

FARMERS' BANK CASES.

(Special to the Times.)

Toronto, Jan. 30.—Frederick Compton, brother-in-law of Dr. Beattie Nesbitt, appeared in the police court this morning charged with receiving notes of the Farmers' Bank. Magistrate Denison refused to try the case and an adjournment was made for a week.

Coy. Monro was represented by counsel and his case was adjourned to Wednesday.

ALLEGED WHOLESALE ROBBERY SCHEME

Number of Arrests Follow Confession by Employee of Customs House

(Special to the Times.)

Calgary, Jan. 30.—On Saturday Ralph Sealey, an employee of the customs house, was arrested, charged with the theft of a $200 diamond ring and on his confession four C. P. R. employees, John Farbar, Edward Hillis, Wm. Appleton and Edward Storney were also arrested. The police claim that they have unearthed a systematic plot for wholesale robbery, and that a large amount of goods missing in consignment was found in the rooms of one or other of the men. The customs and postal authorities have been making inquiries following complaints. Sealey is aged 23, a native of Kemptville, N. S., and was transferred from the post office customs department to the warehouse two months ago.

BRANDON WANTS G. T. P. MAIN LINE

Present Route is Few Miles North of City—Seeking Government Aid

(Special to the Times.)

Winnipeg, Jan. 30.—A delegation from the city of Brandon leaves to-morrow for Ottawa to wait on Sir Wilfrid Laurier with a view to getting assistance to the project for the diversion of the main line of the Grand Trunk Pacific so as to pass through Brandon. At present the main line runs a few miles north of that city and an agitation has been in progress for considerable time to secure direct connection.

It is understood that the provincial government will guarantee the bonds of the Grand Trunk Pacific at $13,000 a mile for mileage sufficient for the proposed main line diversion but the company wants $20,000 a mile and the city delegation hopes the Dominion government will make up the difference.

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M'CURDY MAKES LONG FLIGHT

OIL EXHAUSTED NEAR END OF JOURNEY

Drops Into Water Ten Miles From Havana But is Picked Up by a Destroyer

(Times Leased Wire.)

Key West, Fla., Jan. 30.—In the presence of thousands of spectators, Aviator J. Douglas McCurdy started at 7.20 this morning from Trumbo field, to fly to Havana. Torpedo-boat destroyers stationed in the gulf reported good weather. Half of the citizens of Key West had been up since daylight in expectation of the start and gave the flyer a mighty cheer as his aeroplane shot out from the shore.

McCurdy made a fine start, circling the field twice before his machine darted away on its cross ocean flight.

At 8.15 o'clock he passed over the destroyer Roe, lying 20 miles to seaward. He was skimming along easily and apparently finding no difficulty.

Before starting on his flight, McCurdy said: "The weather is by no means ideal, but I hope for the best. Much depends on the condition of the sea. If forced to drop I think I could pull through, but I fear that I would lose the aeroplane if the water is rough. I will fly at a speed of about 60 miles an hour at an altitude of about 1,000 feet. Unless my motor fails, I am confident that I shall make the passage."

Half way between Key West and Havana is stationed the destroyer Paulding, equipped with a platform from which, if McCurdy falls, he will be able to start anew on his journey to the Cuban capital.

The Paulding is in constant touch with both Key West and Havana by wireless and if any accident is reported to the aviator the warship will steam full speed to the spot.

McCurdy was equipped with a pneumatic life preserver jacket. On board the Paulding is Mary B. Darhall, a correspondent of the United Press, who will observe the aviator's flight.

Oil Gives Out.

Havana, Jan. 30.—Picked up from the water where he had alighted ten miles from the harbor when his oil gave out, McCurdy's aeroplane was hoisted to the platform of the destroyer Paulding.

The topedo fleet entered Havana harbor, the Paulding leading and carrying Aviator McCurdy and his aeroplane.

Report to War Office.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.—A wireless to the war department to-day says that Aviator McCurdy dropped into the water ten miles out of Havana harbor and that he was picked up safely by a torpedo boat destroyer.

Rescue of Aviator.

Havana, Jan. 30.—(Later.)—Only the failure of his engine prevented a flight to-day by Douglas McCurdy in a Curtiss bi-plane to Havana from Key West. He landed in the water ten miles from here, was picked up by the torpedo destroyer Paulding and brought into this port, not even having been wetted when his flyer descended on the waves.

With the destroyers Massoit, Mangrove, Forward, Roe, Drayton, Terry, and Paulding stretched along the water route between Key West and Havana, McCurdy left Key West early to-day. When he passed over the Roe, 20 miles out, all the destroyers put on full steam and started for Havana.

"All was going nicely until I neared the station of the Terry," said McCurdy, after he had been picked up. "I was making about 47 miles an hour at an altitude of 1,000 feet. Suddenly I noticed that the engine did not sound right, the aeroplane began to sink and although I had it under perfect control I was kept from flight. I did not feel at all excited and only the failure of my engines prevented my success."

When the Paulding picked McCurdy up, he was sitting in his regular seat in the machine and was so upborne by its pontoons that he was not even wet. The aeroplane was damaged by the impact and was taken aboard the Paulding with difficulty.

Within a few minutes after his being hoisted aboard the destroyer, a Cuban revenue cutter sent a boat with a message of congratulation to McCurdy from President Gomez.

PERSONAL.

A party of Northern Pacific railway officials arrived in the city yesterday on an annual tour of inspection. They left for Vancouver last night on the Adelaide and will shortly leave there for Seattle. The party consists of J. M. Hannaford, second vice-president, St. Paul; H. C. Nutt, fourth vice-president and general manager, Tacoma; Henry Blakeley, general western freight agent, Tacoma; A. D. Charlton, assistant general passenger agent, Portland; and F. G. Prest, general purchasing agent, St. Paul.

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Mrs. Frederick C. Beckett will receive at "Enidene," 1560 Pandora avenue, on the first two Thursdays in February.

—A special meeting of the school board will be held this evening at 8 o'clock to consider the estimates for the year.

I. O. O. F. FUNERAL NOTICE.

The officers and members of Columbia Lodge, No. [illegible] are requested to meet at the lodge [illegible] at 2.30 sharp, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, [illegible] Shaw.

By order of the

[illegible]

Rec. Secretary.

BORN.

KNOTT—At 1250 Flaguard street, on the 25th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. R. Percy Knott, a daughter.

DIED.

WOOD—On Monday, Jan. 30th, John Augustus Wood, aged 75 years.

Funeral will take place on Tuesday, Jan. 31st, at 2.15, from family residence, 1030 St. Charles street, and 20 minutes later from Christ Church Cathedral.

SHAW—In this city, on Jan. 29, Henry Shaw, a native of England, aged 81 years.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 3 p. m. from the family residence, 922 Mason street.

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Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of George R. Ford, deceased, late of the City of Victoria, are hereby required to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of March, 1911.

And take notice that after the said 1st day of March, 1911, the Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among all persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall have notice, and he will not be liable for any assets of the said estate to any person of whose claim he shall not then have received notice.

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PARLIAMENT TO ASSEMBLE TO-MORROW

State Opening by the King and Queen on February 6 —Government Bills

London, Jan. 30.—The new parliament will open to-morrow for the purpose of electing a speaker and for the swearing-in of members. It is certain that Hon. Mr. Lowther will be unanimously re-elected to the speakership. On the following day he will present himself in the House of Lords, seeking, in accordance with ancient custom, royal approval for his selection for the office. On February 6, the King and Queen will open parliament in state.

As at present arranged, the debate on the address from the throne will finish within a week. On the Monday following, February 13, the parliament bill—the measure which gave rise to the general election—will probably be introduced in the House.

The government has promised to introduce other bills of national importance. Two measures have been prepared on the subject of state insurance, one relating to sickness and invalidity and the other to unemployment. The former will be in the hands of the chancellor of the exchequer, who, since his return from the Riviera, has been engaged with members of the deposit friendly societies in discussing amendments to his draft scheme. Hon. Mr. Buxton, president of the board of trade, will take charge of the scheme for insurance against unemployment, which will be worked in connection with the labor exchanges. The salient features of the plan are as follows:

Both workpeople and employers will contribute. Their contribution will be supplemented by a substantial subvention from the state.

The system is to be one of insurance by certain trades.

The benefits, which will be somewhat lower than those paid by the strongest trade unions, will require the raising of between 5d and 6d per man per week. Insurance cards will be issued, to which statements will be affixed every week. When a workman is discharged he must take his card to the nearest labor exchange, which, in conjunction with the insurance office, will be responsible either for finding him work or for paying him the benefit.

It is expected that the plural voting bill will be reintroduced, and the home secretary will press forward his amended shop hours bill.

The usual parliamentary banquets will take place on February 4, the Saturday before the state opening of parliament Premier Asquith and Lord Crewe are the government hosts, while Mr. Balfour will preside at a dinner at the Constitutional club on February 6, to meet F. E. Smith, and the Conservatives who captured seats at the general election.

VATICAN AND STATE.

Pope's Letter to Archibishop of Cologne May Result in Struggle.

Berlin, Jan. 30.—Widespread interest has been aroused by a letter from the Pope to Cardinal Fisher, Archbishop of Cologne, relative to the oath disavowing modernism, which is now required of the theological professors by the Vatican. This ruling has already resulted in the withdrawal of several members of the theological faculty at the University of Munich, and has called forth a sharp controversy in the press.

After declaring that the bishops should not permit foresight and caution to develop into faintheartedness in connection with the deprivation of the clergy from office when they refuse to defer to a new test, and expressing no surprise that those who fear for their own positions are striving against the edict, even perhaps calling upon the state to prevent its being carried out, the Pope proceeds: "In fulfillment of duty, so far as God's praise is directly concerned, the struggle should not be shunned. On the contrary, it should be courageously entered upon."

The letter sets forth that professors of theology in state schools need not take the oath, except when they are at the same time occupying the pastoral office, but it regards as "cowardly indifference" the action of state teachers who make use of the permission of Rome not to take oath because of those who, though of the Catholic church, declare it to be a violation of human intelligence and a hindrance to the progress of science. A recommendation follows that exemptions for other reasons should not be permitted.

Newspapers of all shades of opinion foresee government action.

The Kreuz Zeitung says: "There can be no doubt of the Pope's intention to enter into a conflict with the Prussian government, the consequences of which cannot at present be foreseen."

The Kolnische Zeitung says: "It is not too late to reply to this high-handed policy, 'thus far and no farther.'"

The Leipsiger Neueste Nachrichten says: "The letter shows that the Vatican intends to proceed in the modernist movement without consideration of the rights of the state."

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TREATY BETWEEN STATES AND JAPAN

Protests Against Proposal to Eliminate Clause Regarding Immigration

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 30.—Should the United States government carry out the proposed plan to negotiate a new treaty with Japan, eliminating the clause relative to immigration, so obnoxious to the Nipponese government, the Pacific Coast will witness a repetition of the Chinese riots which will precipitate the entire country into war, according to A. E. Yoell, secretary of the Asiatic Exclusion League.

"I fear the result should the programme be carried out," said Yoell. "I cannot reconcile myself to it. The authorities at Washington must know that it would bring on the war which must come sooner or later. I am not an alarmist, but there is a rupture between this country and Japan that is wider than the public has been allowed to know. This I know from my observations and from my agents here and in Japan. The government has wilfully, I believe, pulled the wool over the public's eyes by protestations of amicable relations. It may be that this treaty is to placate Japan. If it is meant to stave off the impending conflict until we are prepared this league would sit back and allow immigration for a time as a necessary evil.

"The state department is of the opinion that the treaty would not affect the power of the United States to pass a Japanese exclusion act if desired. In the meantime it is said the Japanese government will restrain its immigration, as it did during the last year.

"The proposed action is based largely upon the belief that Japan has kept faith in restricting immigration." Yoell concluded: "They have not, and that directs attention to an alarming state of affairs that has been allowed to exist. During the last fiscal year some 2,700 Japanese emigrated to the United States. Of this number 1,883 were women, 200 of whom could neither read nor write. What does this mean? Simply that the majority are brought in for immoral purposes."

Resolution in Legislature.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 30.—Protest against the reported change in the United States treaty with Japan whereby the coolie clause will be eliminated was made Saturday in a resolution presented in the assembly by Harry Polsley of Red Bluff. The language of the resolution was so strong that Speaker Hewitt declined to submit it to the house as a committee of the whole and telegraphed it at once to President Taft and members of congress.

Hewitt delayed action by having it sent first to the printer.

Fearing that he would fail to carry his point with the San Francisco delegation absent, Polsley consented to the delay, but stated that he will to-day insist that the California legislature protest against the contemplated action.

All the power of the Federal government could not stop California from passing laws against the Japanese and Chinese residents of the state under the proposed initiative, referendum and recall, according to a prominent member of the legislature. With the passage of the proposed amendments, proposals to restrict Japanese ownership of land, Japanese labor and prescribe the living conditions of the Japanese in California could be brought before the people, he asserted.

CASE NOT DISMISSED.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.—Employees of the United States Supreme court are busy explaining an erroneous report that that tribunal had summarily dismissed the contempt proceedings against President Samuel Gompers, Vice-president John Mitchell and Secretary Frank Morrison, of the American Federation of Labor, which grew out of the Bucks Stove & Range Company boycott.

The court merely hinted that it would refuse to consider the question whether the Bucks company should be granted a permanent injunction restraining the labor men from continuing the boycott. The boycott was settled out of court recently, and the refusal of the court in the injunction matter will in no way affect the present main issue, which is the matter of contempt of court.

WAR ON GAMBLING DENS.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 30.—Sweeping charges in the police department are promised by Chief of Police Seymour in the prosecution of a war "to the death" on gambling dens as the result of the shooting of Gustave Postler in the Saratoga club, located a block from police headquarters.

Sergeant Donovan was stripped of his star and weapons by the chief, and will be tried for unofficer-like conduct. Cowardice may be included in the complaint. Charges are being prepared against two patrolmen for dereliction of duty in not reporting the presence of the Sartoga club at police headquarters and fifty other officers will have their beats switched.

CAPT. BARR'S FUNERAL.

Southampton, Eng., Jan. 30.—The remains of Capt. Barr were buried here this afternoon. The officers and crew of Sir Thomas Lipton's steam yacht Erin were the pallbearers.

The defeat of the two yachts taken over by Lipton to capture the American cup was due to Capt. Barr's clever handling of the American vessels. Sir Thomas was so impressed with Barr's work that after his defeat he offered the American skipper a fancy salary to head his boats. Barr declined the offer.

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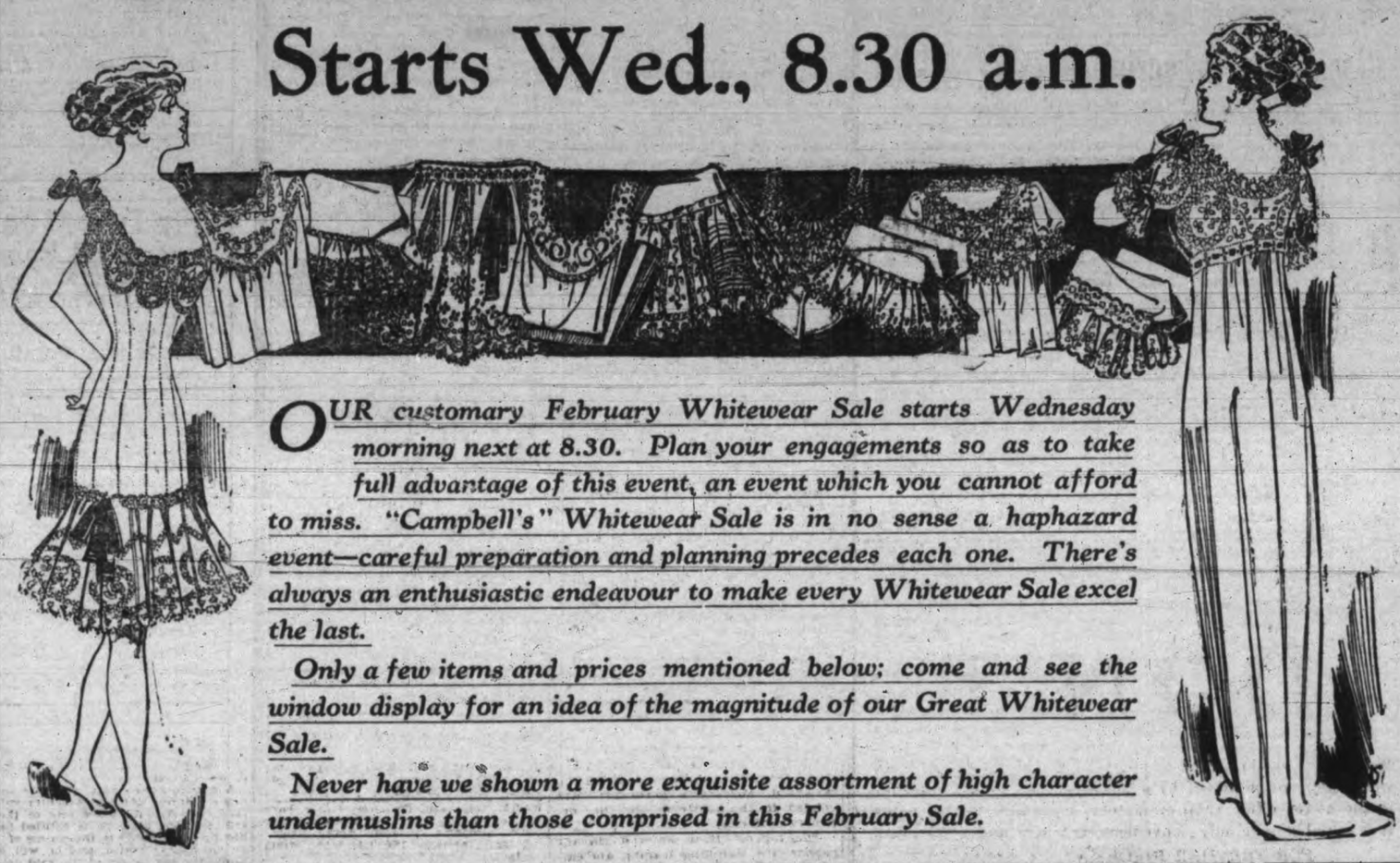

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FINE CAMBRIC GOWNS, with round tucked yokes, 2 rows of fine lace insertion, lace beading and silk ribbon draw, elbow sleeves edged with lace. Reg. $1.25. WHITEWEAR SALE ... **$1.00**

SQUARE NECK GOWNS of fine cambric, beautiful embroidery, button in front. Regular $1.25. WHITEWEAR SALE ... **$1.00**

EXTRA FINE CAMBRIC GOWNS, with round embroidered yokes, slip-over style, neck and sleeves edged with embroidery. Regular $1.50. WHITEWEAR SALE ... **$1.25**

GOWNS OF FINE NAINSOOK, with square neck, fine Swiss embroidery and lace insertion, with silk ribbon draw, slip-over style. Reg. $1.60. WHITEWEAR SALE ... **$1.35**

EXTRA FINE NAINSOOK GOWNS, with two rows of fine Swiss embroidery on yoke, lace beading with silk ribbon draw, elbow sleeves edged with fine lace, as is also the neck. Regular price $1.60. WHITEWEAR SALE ... **$1.35**

GOWNS OF EXTRA FINE NAINSOOK, slip-over style, round neck with fine Swiss embroidered and lace yoke, neck and sleeves edged with lace, silk ribbon draw. Reg. $2.25. WHITEWEAR SALE ... **$1.75**

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FINE NAINSOOK CORSET COVERS, tucked and lace insertion front, front neck and arms edged with lace beading and silk ribbon draw. Reg. 65c. WHITEWEAR SALE ... **50c**

FINE EMBROIDERED CHECK MUSLIN CORSET COVERS, with ribbon draw. Extra special. Regular price 75c. WHITEWEAR SALE ... **60c**

EXTRA FINE NAINSOOK CORSET COVERS, full front style, round yoke back and front with one row of wide embroidered insertion, lace beading with silk ribbon draw, neck and arms finished with lace. Regular 90c. WHITEWEAR SALE ... **75c**

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DRAWERS OF FINE CAMBRIC, with deep lawn ruffle, tucked and hemstitched and edged with embroidery. Regular 75c. WHITEWEAR SALE ... **60c**

EXTRA FINE NAINSOOK DRAWERS, lawn tucked ruffle, with fine lace insertion and trimmed with fine lace. Regular $1.50. WHITEWEAR SALE ... **75c**

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HOPE FROM THE GOVERNMENT.

In spite of the action of the provincial government in the past in tying up as much as possible of the public lands of Vancouver Island, it is possible that the members of that government will yet repent and, under the pressure of public opinion, take some steps which may result in settling up the wild parts of the country. So much of the land has already been taken that it is necessary that the portion now remaining be subdivided into smaller tracts. Such a subdivision would probably be of advantage to settlement, especially if surveyed in such a way as to make it possible for settlers to build their homes near together.

We can understand that the members of the delegation from the Victoria Board of Trade and the Vancouver Island Development League, which met the government, were anxious not to say anything which might antagonize Mr. McBride and his followers, else they would, instead of giving him full some praise, have told him to his face how the country had suffered from the past policy of the government. Their point of view was, perhaps, the correct one. We sincerely hope that they will succeed in getting something. The government is rather inclined to grant applications for roads, because by doing so they give employment to faithful followers in different parts of the country. In the matter of land settlement, however, there is nothing to be gained except the satisfaction of having done certain work which is for the general welfare of the province. As the ministers are politicians, and not statesmen, this point of view does not affect them.

One of the speakers for the delegation asked that the land should be reserved for actual settlers. That is our point of view exactly. We would like to see the land settled instead of being sold to speculators. We want to see Vancouver Island a hive of industry. We went to see it thickly settled with prosperous farmers and intelligent fruitgrowers. For this reason we are sorry that the members of the delegation had not the courage to ask for the abolition of the present abuses and the introduction of a policy of "land for the settlers only, and the settlers for the land." We want to see all the land on the Island surveyed and made available for settlement. We want to see provision made for giving prospective settlers all the information they could possibly need before choosing the land. It is senseless to expect a man of small means to travel all over the island looking for lands, which often exist only in the imagination of the officials. There is plenty of good land here. There are plenty of people who would like to live on the land and cultivate it. It is for the provincial government to bring these two together. The sooner they take steps to do it the better it will be for them and the better for the country as a whole.

INFLATED CAPITAL AND COAL PRICES.

The captains of the coal mining industry in the province of British Columbia are reported to have expressed with confidence the opinion that coal is more likely to increase than to decrease in price. It would, of course, be a reckless thing for a mere outsider to express an opinion contrary to the views of the management of the coal mines. Still, we will take a chance and say there is little likelihood of coal rising in price. The captains of this particular industry are not blind, neither, we may be sure, will they close their keen eyes to the signs of the times. One of the effects of the exaction of exorbitant prices is evident already. Other corporations which have the power to apply a remedy for unreasonable prices are equipping their plants with oil-burning appliances—and the corporations in question are in a position to obtain fuel from the coal-producing corporations at much lower rates than the small and unorganized consumer. It is not beyond the realms of possibility that the latter may also arise and insist upon an authority which is even higher than the steamship and railway companies and the coal companies taking a hand in the game of bluff. The advent of a corporation in this province which is addicted to the inflation of capital by the process known as watering is not likely to have an ameliorating effect. But if a tribunal akin to the Dominion Railway Commission were set up with powers corresponding to those of that useful court, the result might be much beneficial letting of water.

The Royal Naval College has now been in session one week and the cadets are getting their first insight into naval life. Physical and technical instruction will be a feature of the work during the next two years. Boatbuilding will be learned as well as sailing and rowing.

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Joseph Martin, M. P., in a Winnipeg interview, declined to say who he thought was the coming man in Great Britain. Doubtless he was too modest. We all know whom Joe would have designated if he had answered the reporter's question. If he did not like to name the gentleman he might have described him, but then we might not have recognized the description.

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The opening of the British parliament this week will revive interest in the historic struggle which has been in progress between people and peers for the past few years. The general opinion seems to be that the peers will meekly submit to the passing of the veto and thus avoid the worse evil of having the peerage debased by the appointment of four or five hundred commoners. This was the opinion we expressed during the time the election was being fought.

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A board of three censors is to be appointed for the province of Ontario to see that no moving picture films which might be of a degrading character shall be placed on exhibition. The moral reformers will have a representative on the board and in all probability the picture shows will be represented. If the board does its work well it should be a service to the province. There is always danger, however, of censors letting their oddities get the better of their judgment. In England the theatre censor has on several occasions stopped the presentation of valuable plays for religious or other reasons.

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Great interest is being taken here in the flying of Douglas McCurdy, who got within ten miles of Havana in his aeroplane and then alighted on the water, having been forced to discontinue his flight owing to a lack of sufficient lubricating oil. The fact that Mr. McCurdy is a Canadian and a son of one of our prominent citizens make his career doubly interesting to us. We hope he will find time during next summer to visit this part of the world and perhaps to give us an exhibition of his skill as an aviator.

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The Dominion government is considering the question of the relation of the civil service to municipal politics, and, according to the Toronto Globe, the decision may involve the retirement of a number of those at present holding civic office. This will apply locally at Oak Bay, where Reeve Henderson is a civil servant in the Public Works Department. It is probable that any regulation which may be made will not take effect until the beginning of next year.

RURIDECANAL CONFERENCE.

Resolution on the Proposed Church Mission for the Diocese of Columbia.

At the semi-annual conference of the Rural Deanery of Victoria the following resolution, moved by the Very Reverend Dean Doull and seconded by Rev. J. H. Sweet, was carried unanimously:

"That this Ruridecanal Conference humbly relying upon the guidance and help of the Holy Spirit, expresses its opinion that the time has come when a general mission is necessary for the mind, there was great need of such a mission be held, if arrangements can be made, not later than Lent of 1912. Further, the members of this Ruridecanal Conference pledge themselves to work and pray earnestly, for God's blessing upon this special effort for the conversion of souls."

Another important subject discussed, was the question of organizing a clergy pension fund. Rev. Canon Cooper, who opened this discussion, stated that in every right-thinking churchman's mind, there was gerat need of such a fund, and that after long and careful consideration a plan was proposed by which the aged and worn-out clergy could be provided for. The following resolution, moved by Rev. Canon Cooper, and seconded by the Dean, was then put and carried, viz.:

"That this Rudicanal Conference pledges itself to support the effort about to be made to raise a capital fund for the 'Clergy Pension Fund.'"

Another matter, "The Parochial Missionary Committee," its formation and work, owing to the late hour the discussion of this subject was postponed till next meeting of the conference.

CHINESE INQUIRY.

H. A. Matier Makes Satisfactory Explanation to Commissioners.

Vancouver, Jan. 30.—Hugh Alexander Matier will not go to jail. He escaped punishment for contempt of court by a hair's-breadth. It hinged upon a technicality.

O'Brien hall was crowded this morning when Mr. Justice Murphy took his seat. Never has the Chinese customs royal commission been greeted by a more expectant throng.

Mr. Armour, representing Mr. Matier, arose. "I would ask Mr. Armour," said Mr. Justice Murphy, "that Mr. Matier take the witness box." "I might say," said Mr. Justice Murphy, "that I have read up the law and I believe that the act creating this commission does give the power of a court. But I desire to ask you some questions. This man that told you, Mr. Matier, that there was a price of $2,000 on David Lew's head. Did he tell you that it was in connection or as a result of the work he had done for this commission?"

"I do not think so, my lord," said Mr. Matier. "We had a general talk. But I gathered that it had been a grudge of long standing. I think his activity in convicting the two women for immoral practices had as much as anything to do with it. But nothing was ever said about this commission or Lew's work at the detention shed."

Mr. Justice Murphy asked many other questions along the same line, but the replies all showed that the hatred against Lew had been of long standing.

"Now, Mr. Armour," said Mr. Justice Murphy, Mr. Matier's counsel then told in legal parlance the attitude of his counsel and how he thought his evidence was not only irrelevant, but incompetent and immaterial to this commission.

Mr. Justice Murphy then stated that he was of the same opinion. "I believe I have the power to commit," he said, "if this threat was made as a result of Lew's work for this commission I would insist on the name, and failing in that would commit the witness, but as the facts show that it had nothing to do with the commission I will not insist on having the name. Mr. Matier, you can go."

Mr. Matier arose and thanked the court, and, stated that he had at no time any intention to place the commission in an embarassing position.

"I believe you," said Mr. Justice Murphy, and the incident was closed, as they say in diplomatic circles.

Mr. Matier will therefore "get his European trip," as he sails for Italy tomorrow to be gone six months.

Yip On was then called back to the stand, and the inquiry dropped back to the work of deciphering cables which have been dug up from the New Westminster telegraph office, and which it is asserted Yip On sent.

LOCAL NEWS

—The school board will hold a meeting this evening, when it is expected that the estimates for the current year will be taken up.

—A meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital will be held at 2.30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the board of trade rooms.

—All members of Columbia lodge, No. 2, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet at 2.30 p. m. to-morrow, to attend the funeral of their late Bro. Henry Shaw. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.

—The Victoria West's Intermediate basketball team will play the J. B. A. A. this evening in the V. W. hall. This game will be preceded by one between the junior teams of the two clubs. D. Campbell will referee both games. Tomorrow night the Knights of Columbus will meet the Y. M. I. intermediate team in the Y. M. I. hall. The game will be refereed by Bob Whyte.

—A. H. Ridgman, who for nearly 17 years has acted as outside officer at a local branch of the inland revenue department, has been promoted to the position of accountant in the general office; A. P. Huggett has been given the survey of the local cigar factories, and Roy Clements is taken on as a probationary officer of excise.

—On Wednesday evening, in Broad street hall, F. Napier Denison is to deliver a lecture on earthquakes. Mr. Denison is known as a most interesting lecturer on scientific subjects, as he has the unusual faculty of being able to impart his great stores of technical and experimental knowledge in popular and readily-understood phrases.

—On Saturday afternoon Premier McBride was interviewed by a deputation representing the coal mine operators of the province in regard to the consolidation of the coal mines regulation acts now before the legislature. In connection with the use of the Draeger life-saving apparatus the operators say there is a difficudty in securing the necessary oxygen and they urge the government either to manufacture it or make arrangements for an adequate supply.

—The annual meeting of Post No. 1, Native Sons of British Columbia, will be held at Pioneer Hall, Broad street, to-morrow evening, when officers will be elected for the ensuing year. After the conclusion of the business to come before the meeting a five hundred tournament will be held. It is probable that the annual dance under the auspices of the Native Sons will be held on April 18. No decision has yet been reached as to whether the place of the dance shall be at the rooms of the new Alexandra club or at the Women's building at the fair grounds.

—In the police court this morning William King, a butcher, was fined $10 for using a horse while the animal was suffering from sore shoulder. The driver, a boy named McIntosh, under 16 years of age, was prosecuted jointly, but not fined. The prosecution was taken at the instigation of Inspector J. J. Russell, of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. P. Olino, a Greek, was liberated on suspended sentence after having been four days in jail on remands. He was charged with being a vagrant. George Wood, charged with vagrancy, was remanded until to-morrow for the production of evidence on his behalf.

—The poultry and pet stock show held at Nanaimo last week was perhaps the most successful ever held in that town, attracting entries from all over the province. Victoria pigeon fanciers made a splendid showing and brought away with them many of the best trophies, H. J. French, of French's menagerie, was one of the biggest winners, taking several firsts and specials. R. T. McDowell and H. Mittlestadt were also successful in carrying off a number of prizes. The event of the show, however, was the clean sweep made by F. Mittlestadt, of this city, who, with many other prizes won a special and a cup for the best five pigeons entered.

A POEM.

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Growing grass and moving sheaves,
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Music...and the voice that sings!
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ESQUIMALT LIBERALS DEMAND RESIGNATION

Association Executive Adopts Resolution Regarding John Jardine's Position

At a meeting of the executive of the Esquimalt Electoral District Liberal Association, held on Wednesday last, a resolution regarding the position taken in the House the other day by John Jardine, M. P. P. for Esquimalt, was unanimously adopted.

The resolution, copies of which are in the hands of every member of the legislature to-day, reads as follows:

"Whereas, Mr. John Jardine accepted the nomination of the Liberal party as their candidate in their provincial election of 1909, in opposition to the policies of the Conservative party and the government of Mr. McBride;

"And whereas, the election was duly contested by Mr. Jardine as a Liberal, and he was then elected as a Liberal to represent Esquimalt electoral district;

"And whereas, in the 1910 session of the legislature, Mr. Jardine, in supporting the Conservative government on outstanding issues of the campaign which he had opposed and was elected to oppose, thereby stultified himself and betrayed the electors of Esquimalt whose suffrages had placed him in office;

"And whereas, in the session of 1911 Mr. Jardine has upheld and applauded the Conservative policy which he was elected to oppose, and has further declared himself as endorsing and approving the present Conservative government and their policies and administration;

"Therefore, be it resolved, by the executive of the Esquimalt Electoral District Liberal Association, that as Mr. Jardine has no longer the confidence of the Liberal party of this riding and no longer represents their views he is hereby called upon in fulfilment of his statement on the floor of the legislature and in common decency and propriety to resign his seat in the legislature as representing Esquimalt Electoral District, and that his name be struck from the membership roll of the association."

OBITUARY RECORD

Andrew Shaw, one of the oldest and most respected residents of Victoria, died last night at the residence of his grand-niece, Mrs. W. Exton, 932 Mason street, at 10 o'clock. The late Mr. Shaw was born in Mexboro, Yorkshire county, England, 81 years ago. In his youth he worked as a seaman, and coming out to Victoria in 1885 was employed as water carrier to the navy at Esquimalt harbor for some years. In '66 he and one of his friends, Thomas Carrington, went into the Nicola valley and took up land. Mr. Shaw, however, sold out his share to Mr. Carrington and returned to Victoria, where he acted as city pound-keeper for 15 years. Noah Shakespeare, one of the deceased's old friends, relates many incidents of the jolly old times Mr. Shaw, Capt. McCulloch, Richard Thornhill and he had, when living close together in the James Bay district, in the early sixties. Now, with the exception of himself, all these old timers have passed away. Mr. Shaw, it may be mentioned, was one of the first white men to go up the Fraser river. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon, under the auspices of the Columbia Lodge No. 2, A. O. O. F., at 2.15, from the house, and at 2.30 from the Hanna chapel. The Rev. T. E. Holling will conduct the services. Interment will be made in the Ross Bay cemetery.

John Augustus Wood, aged 75 years, passed away this morning at the family residence, 1030 St. Charles street. The late Mr. Wood was born in Edmonton, Middlesex, England, and there received his early education. Coming to Canada he settled in Guelph, Ontario, and while there established a reputation for kind-heartedness and business integrity which has followed him in his extensive travels through many lands. On retiring from business he first settled in Toronto, but, visiting Victoria four years ago, decided to remain here the rest of his days. Deceased is survived by a wife, in this city, and an elder brother, George, with several nephews and nieces in England. The funeral will take place to-morrow at 2.15 from the house and fifteen minutes later from Christ Church cathedral. Bishop Perrin, assisted by the Rev. E. G. Miller, will conduct the services. Interment will be made in the Ross Bay cemetery.

The remains of the late Andrew N. Bell, who died some time ago, will not, as was expected, be shipped east for burial. Arrangements have been made by his relatives for the funeral to take place to-morrow at 10 a. m., from the Hanna chapel, where the Rev. J. McCoy will officiate. Interment will be made in the Ross Bay cemetery. The funeral will be private.

The funeral of the late John Thomas Bennett, who was killed out at Colwood a few days ago, took place this afternoon at 2.15 from the Hanna chapel. Services were conducted at 2.30 at the Christ Church cathedral by the Rev. Canon Cooper. There was a large attendance of members from Court Northern Light, A. O. F., and of friends from Colwood. Interment was made in the Ross Bay cemetery.

The death occurred this morning at the St. Joseph's hospital of Dominique Cernoni, aged 37 years. The deceased was born in Italy and had been employed as a laborer in this city. The remains are lying at the Victoria Undertaking parlors, from where the funeral will take place at a date to be announced later.

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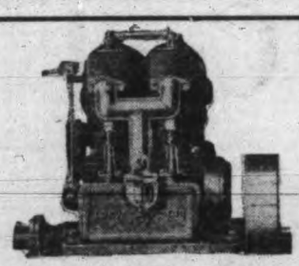

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—At the home of Mrs. David Spencer, Moss street, the members of the Young Ladies' club of the Metropolitan church will hold a rehearsal of the "Temple of Fame" this evening.

—The annual basket social concert and dance, under the auspices of the Victoria Farmers' Institute, will be held in Royal Oak hall to-morrow evening. A first class programme consisting of city and local talent will be provided, and a good time is assured to all.

—On Wednesday evening a high-class concert will be given in the schoolroom of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. A glance at a few of the numbers will readily show the high quality of the programme. Both Mr. and Mrs. A. Codd will sing, Mrs. Stanehand and Mrs. Longfield will sing a duet, Miss Lawson will give a reading, while Miss Beek, Mr. Melville and Mr. De Caux will sing. Mr. Longfield, Mr. Black and Miss Muriset will render instrumental selections. These, assisted by a male quartette and a string orchestra, should prove a most attractive programme.

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—A meeting of the Overseas Club, to which all who are interested in its objects are invited, will be held this evening in the board of trade rooms at 8 o'clock.

—"Statesmen, ministers and editors, blind witnesses to our Israelitish origin," will be the theme for study at the meeting of the Victoria branch of the Imperial British Israel Association to-morrow in No. 1 hall of the A. O. U. W. building, Yates street, at 8 p. m.

—The juvenile temple of the I. O. G. T., Esquimalt, will give an entertainment this evening in the school-room of the Church of Our Lord, Humboldt and Blanchard streets, for the purpose of introducing the methods and objects of juvenile temple. All children and friends are welcome.

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—There will be held to-night at 8 o'clock, in the Centennial church, Gorge road, a stereopticon lecture of over 100 finely colored views, entitled "Mountain Plains and Prairies." This lecture will prove interesting and instructive, as it deals wholly with our Canadian scenery. The Centennial concert band, in conjunction with the pipe organ, will provide the music. There is no charge for admission, but a collection will be taken.

—No. 3 company of the Fifth Regiment C. G. A. has arranged to hold a banquet on Thursday evening at the Victoria hotel to celebrate the success of the company in winning, for two years in succession, the first place in the Dominion for gun practice amongst the artillery companies of Canada. The banquet will start at 8.30 p. m. and an excellent menu will be provided. A committee has been selected to take charge of the arrangements for the occasion.

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—The monthly social of the Y. P. S. C. E. of St. Paul's church, Victoria West, was held on Friday evening at the home of Alderman and Mrs. Ross (Esquimalt road), and was well attended, considering the inclemency of the weather. The evening was delightfully spent with vocal and instrumental music and various games of amusement, dainty refreshments were served and the meeting closed in the usual way.

—On account of the debate in Emmanuel church between the B. Y. P. Unions of Emmanuel and First Baptist churches to-night on religious instruction in public schools, the debate which was to have been held at First Baptist church on the respective values of home or foreign missions has been postponed.

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S. AND C. CIRCUIT SEEKS A NEW SITE

Frederick Lincoln, General Manager, Visits Victoria in Search of New Location

For the purpose of opening negotiations with certain property-holders towards securing a suitable site for the construction of a new Sullivan & Considine vaudeville house in Victoria, Frederick Lincoln, general manager of the Sullivan & Considine circuit, paid a visit to the city the end of last week, and returned to Seattle Saturday afternoon with two propositions to lay before his principals there.

Before leaving Mr. Lincoln said his firm will build here without a doubt, and just as soon as arrangements can be made for a suitable location. The increasing popularity of the Grand theatre has, he readily admitted, made that theatre too small to hold the audiences now patronizing the circuit's buildings, and it is necessary for the theatrical firm to make other arrangements, so as to be in a position to compete in the vaudeville business here in the future.

Sullivan & Considine, said Mr. Lincoln, last week purchased the Vancouver opera house for $300,000, with the intention of putting the full Orpheum circuit bill in the Terminal City. While Victoria will not at present offer the inducements for the Orpheum circuit bill here, he says that with a vaudeville house of larger seating capacity a six-act bill, in place of the present five-act bill, would be staged here and the shows generally improved.

—An organ recital will be given by Jesse Longfield in the Methodist church to-morrow evening, at which Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Codd, Mrs. Longfield and J. Corkle, violinist, will assist.

—The Young People's Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will hold its regular weekly meeting this evening at 8 o'clock. The literary committee has the meeting in hand and an excellent programme has been prepared. All are very cordially invited to attend.

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OUR LETTER BOX

HIGH SCHOOL SITE.

To the Editor:—The people in the neighborhood of the new High school site appear to be very particular. Not content with manoeuvring to get the school in their vicinity, they are now adding insult to injury by wanting the school to front upon Fernwood road. Well, what difference can it make where it fronts? Supposing that Fernwood road is the best street and gets ten times as many passers-by as Grant street or Camosun street, what does that matter? Supposing that it would reflect a little credit upon the good judgment of the architect and upon the common sense of the board of trustees, how does that affect the question? Why shouldn't they put the blessed thing askew if they want to? I suppose some bacteriological, blue-spectacled professor has started some theory about microbes or bacteria, and so the board want to experiment a bit. They have tried every other point in the compass, why shouldn't they try the south for a change? The old High school fronts east, the Girls' Central east, the Boys' Central west, the South Park east, the George Jay east, the Moss street west, the North Ward east, and the Hillside north. As the south hasn't had a show yet, well, try it, say I, and let the croakers go and bury themselves. Some fool chap has been saying that Trustee Riddell is at the bottom of it. He was opposed to the Spring Ridge site and now he is trying to break even by putting up a job on the board so as to bring them into contempt. Well, if the board wants to make fools of themselves why shouldn't they? Why, indeed? I've no objection.

JOHN DICKSON.

COWICHAN BAY.

To the Editor:—The district of South Cowichan is a veritable "hornet's nest."

South Cowichan consists of the dyked lands at the head of Cowichan Bay, and a comparatively level country, with some ravines, known as the bench lands. The places of business are Cowichan Bay, Corfield, Cowichan Station and Hill Bank Station. The country is settling up rapidly. Newcomers are almost tumbling over each other in their haste to secure homes here.

The soil is mostly red clay loam. In the numerous alder bottoms it is rich vegetable mould. South Cowichan forms no part of the municipality of North Cowichan, yet all the government agents have been men belonging to North Cowichan, with no interests whatever here. So the people of South Cowichan have to make "long pilgrimages" to Duncans to pay their taxes and attend to other public business, even to having their cases settled by North Cowichan magistrates, while their own magistrates have to report "nothing doing."

But it was the hornet's nest we started to write about. Wrongs and injustice have been heaped upon the district for years. The Soole, Hay, Phipps and the Beach roads were the "last straw." Thus the hornet's nest.

The Soole road could have been built straight along a gravelly ridge with drainage down the grade, therefore requiring no culverts, meeting the Bench road at a point convenient for all. Also a gravel pit on the line. Instead it was built with two turns and one-quarter of a mile longer than necessary, this part over light, soft ground and at right angles to the down grade, therefore requiring a number of culverts. The road will be difficult and expensive to keep in repair, with no gravel in sight, to say nothing of fencing the road on both sides.

The "hornets," who are not too mad, can hardly keep on their feet for laughing when told that it is a short route to Duncan for them.

Let us walk over and see. We start on the Bench road at the north boundary of section 7. Two of the residents who have built there join us. We walk south a little way and are joined by another resident, and a little further on by another. We still travel south until we reach the point where the Soole road joins the Bench road, when we turn to our right down it. We travel west about 22 chains, but we find we have been travelling in the opposite direction to which we want to go, so we take the turn to our right and begin to retrace our steps. After travelling 1 mile and 22 chains we find ourselves at the same place we started from. In other words, the first two residents have travelled over three sides of a parallelogram, when it was only necessary to travel over one, and that the shortest side, to reach the same point.

The other two have travelled over three sides of a square, when it was only necessary to travel over one side to reach the same point if the Soole road had been made straight. If the road is extended to the Koksilah bridge the Duncan merchants will be at the same disadvantage if they wish to deliver goods to the residents mentioned. Mr. Soole and Messrs. Jull and More, settlers on section 7, will be at the same disadvantage if they wish to go to Corfield or Cowichan Bay. It would be a great saving of public money to at once abandon the part of the new road that passes through Mr. May's property and build the road on the section line between 6 and 7. Thirty-five chains of road is all that is necessary.

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NEWS OF SPORT

ARBUTUS TARROW'S SISTERS GO EAST

J. S. Hickford Sends Arbutus Pride and Arbutus Dora to Famous Bostonian

That Victoria can breed good dogs, and that in future local dog-fanciers will be doing an export rather than an import business was shown when J. S. Hickford, of this city, received a telegram from Harry W. Lacey, the famous Boston expert, who judged the last Vancouver show, asking him to send to Boston immediately the two sisters of the famous Arbutus Yarrow which made such an impression here last year.

It will be remembered that Yarrow took the championship in every show on the coast in the puppy class and also won the first prize in the novice class in the last show at Vancouver. She is an English setter slut, bred by Mr. Hickford at the Arbutus kennels on the Esquimalt road, sired by the famous champion Malwood Major, who was specially imported from the well-known Steadman kennels in Wales. Her mother was Arbutus Swallow and was bred here in Victoria at Mr. Hickford's Arbutus kennels.

Yarrow's sisters, who have just been sent to Boston, are two eighteen-months-old bitches named Arbutus Pride and Arbutus Dora. They are just as beautiful as their famous sister and have as fine points. They are respectively the fifth and the sixth of that litter to go East, and it is thought that they will do much to enhance the already high reputation that Victoria dogs have made for themselves in the States.

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NEW PHISOGS TO PUNCH THURSDAY

Local Boxers Meet Vancouver Contingent at V. W. A. A. Bouts in A. O. U. W. Hall

The Victoria West Athletic club has lined up six bounts for the boxing tournament under the club auspices at the A. O. U. W. hall on Thursday night, and of the dozen boxers engaged there are eight men who have not boxed for Victoria audiences before, so the V. W. A. A. has a very attractive card.

The Vancouver Athletic club sends over four boxers in the different weights, Barrieu, Darnley, Holland and Vincent. A. and D. McKay are recently here from Toronto, and the remaining performers are men with local reputations.

The card as arranged is: Fox, V. W. A. A., against Barrieu, V. A. C.; Bailey, V. W. A. A., against Holland, V. A. C.; Brown, Garrison A. C., against Darnley, V. A. C.; McKay, Empress A. C., against Vincent V. A. C.; D. McKay, Toronto, against Scott, Y. M. C. A., and Driscoll, Garrison A. C., against Schultz, Y. M. C. A.

Other bouts are contemplated but are not announced yet.

ARGONAUTS GET BEST.

(Special to the Times.)

Toronto, Jan. 29.—The Argonauts proved better mud horses than the Varsity on Saturday night in their senior O. H. A. game and earned the right to go into the senior O. H. A. semifinals by defeating the collegians 5 to 0, giving the scullers a ten-goal lead over their rivals, and incidentally the worst beating any senior team has had in a long time. The score at half time was 1 to 0. Miserable ice greeted the gladiators.

—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, over Terry's Drug Store, Douglas St.

FORESTERS WIN IN ISLAND LEAGUE GAME

Gain Easy Victory From Esquimalt Eleven, Scoring Seven Goals to Two

The Foresters soccer team was too good for the Esquimalt eleven in an Island league match on Saturday afternoon, the latter being beaten by 7 to 2, on the Canteen ground, which was in a very muddy and sloppy condition.

At the end of the first half the Foresters had 3 to 1, Higgins having scored one, and Miller 2 goals, while Thomas shot one through for Esquimalt shortly before the close of the half.

For the Foresters Barnes, one, and Young, three, scored in the second half, and for Esquimalt Thomas scored again. W. J. Lorimer refereed in his customary able and efficient style. The teams as lined out on the field were:

Foresters—Goal, Costello; backs, Newlands and Walsh; half-backs, Wilson, Clegg and Ferris; forwards, Miller, Stewart, Pearson, J. Young, and Barnes.

Esquimalt—Goal, Bromley; fullbacks, Young and Isbister; halfbacks, Wylie, Dufty, Slater; forwards, Malcolm, Stevens, Gale, Thomas and Buxton.

ENGLISH LEAGUE GAMES.

London, Jan. 30.—Results of league football games played Saturday were:

First Division.

Liverpool, 1; Manchester City, 1.
Bury, 1; Notts Forest, 0.
Notts County, 2; Sheffield Wednesday, 0.
Aston Villa, 4; Bradford City, 1.
Sheffield United, 1; Blackburn Rovers, 1.
Middlesboro, 0; Newcastle United, 2.
Tottenham-Hotspur-Oldham Athletic abandoned.
Sunderland, 2; Woolwich Arsenal, 2.
Preston North End, 4; Bristol City, 0.
Manchester United, 2; Everton, 2.

Second Division.

Barnsley, 1; Blackpool, 2.
Bradford, 2; Hull City, 0.
Burnley, 2; West Bromwich Albion, 0.
Derby County, 3; Glossop, 1.
Fulham, 2; Bolton Wanderers, 0.
Gainsborough Trinity, 1; Birmingham, 0.
Leeds City, 5; Huddersfield Town, 2.
Leicester Fosse, 2; Clapton Orient, 1.
Stockport County, 3; Lincoln City, 2.
Wolverhampton Wanderers, 0; Chelsea, 0.

Southern League.

Luton, 3; New Brompton, 0.
Westham United, 2; Millwall Athletic, 2.
Queen's Park Rangers, 1; Norwich City, 1.
Portsmouth, 3; Coventry City, 0.
Northampton, 0; South End United, 0.
Brighton and Hove Albion, 2; Southampton, 0.
Exeter City, 1; Plymouth Argyle, 3.
Swindon Town, 5; Watford, 1.
Bristol Rovers, 0; Leyton, 0.
Crystal Palace, 1; Brentford, 1.

The use of bicycles is decreasing in Russia. One dealer recently stated that he had sold 2,600 in 1908, but only half that number in 1909. In Germany the demand for them is stationary, so it would seem that Russia and Germany are exceptions to almost all other countries where the cycle seems to gain in popularity.

Tobacco is a government monopoly in France, Italy, Austria and Japan.

WESTS VANQUISH THE NORTH WARDS

Blue and White Goes Down to Defeat Before the White and Green

The struggle for supremacy in the first division has been decided. The Victoria West boys have at length managed to put it over on their opponents in blue and white to the tune of three to two. The fight for the cup which goes to the winners of Saturday's game has been one of the most exciting on record, and though the North Wards have been defeated it must be put down to their credit that in their first season as seniors they should come so near the top.

The match was one of those that keeps the spectators on edge the whole time; there was absolutely no relaxation from beginning to end. Both teams were in excellent condition and the brand of football which they put up was of the best. H. G. Goward handled the whistle and gave absolute satisfaction to both sides, hardly a dissentient voice being raised against his rulings.

Victoria West made the first attack. The North Ward backs, who generally put up a stone-wall defence, seemed a little off color and several times in the first few minutes the Wests got within shooting distance. They did not have everything their own way, however, Muir and McGuire, for the Wards making some splendid dashes up the field. About twenty minutes after the beginning of the game Yousen scored the first goal, beating the North Ward custodian with a long, low drive.

From that on up to almost the end of the half the pace was not so fast, the ball drifting from one end of the field to the other, seeming to have a slight preference for the vicinity of the North Ward goal. However, thinking that things were altogether too slow, Bayley, the crack little half-back for the boys from across the harbor, dribbled the ball until within shooting distance and drove it past Dugan with very little trouble. Shortly after this the North Wards began to make a noise themselves. With a beautiful rush they carried the ball up the field and forced the Wests to corner in order to save themselves. When the ball was centred they worked like madmen in their efforts to get it past Beaney, but the Wests' defence was stone-wall and the half ended without any further score.

The second half opened with Muir and T. Peden changing places in the Wards' forward line, Muir going to centre and T. Peden taking the latter's place at inside right. The change seemed to be very effective and the Wests' defence was severely taxed. Boy Whyte and Prevost being called upon to clear time and again. Crawford tripped an opponent and the resulting foul took play to the other end, where J. Peden just missed scoring, a hot shot from his foot whistling just outside the upright.

The Wards, however, were not to be denied. They were soon back again at the other end and young Cyril Baker atoned for his numerous mistakes in the first half by putting the ball through with a shot that Beaney had no chance to save. On the resumption the Wests pressed, but were pulled up when a foul was given against them through alleged handling on the part of Bailey. The Wards resumed their bombardment of the Wests' citadel. Two corners were given in quick succession and Archie Muir put on the equalizing points by outwitting the opposing backs and sending in a shot that would have been worthy of Steve Bloomer in his prime.

After the restart Cyril Baker was badly kicked but pluckily went on again after a few minutes' attention. After the customary throw-up the Wests worked the ball down in dangerous proximity to their opponents' goal and Thackeray sent in a nice shot. Dougan saved but held onto the ball too long, taking more than the statutory three steps, and a foul was awarded to the Wests right in the goal mouth. They failed to profit by it, however, and the Wards had no difficulty in clearing. The Wests immediately resumed the pressure and kept their antagonists penned up close to their goal. Jock Wright shot and in the ensuing scramble in the goal mouth the ball went through, apparently from the foot of Sherratt. This was all the scoring and the Wests won as stated.

The teams lined up as follows:

Victoria West.—Goal, Beaney; fullbacks, Whyte and Prevost; halfbacks, Bayley, Petticrew and Okell; forwards, Sherratt, Yousen, J. Peden, S. Thackeray and Jock Wright.

North Ward.—Goal, Dougan; fullbacks, Crowford and McDonald; halfbacks, Brown, Taylor and Dakers; forwards, McCarthur, T. Peden, Muir, McGuire and Baker.

THE ROD

Saanich Arm Incidents.

The fact is well known to the company of ardent Waltonians who gather every week-end at the popular resort known at "The Seventeen-Mile Post," that the governor of that post is an inveterate practical joker. He loves to "get one over" on his friends; and the closer the friendship the better he enjoys his pranks.

"Well, a joke was played on the joker yesterday which was hugely enjoyed by a few of the governor's victims. The prank in this case was played by Nature herself. The climate up in the hills is somewhat more rugged than it is in the neighborhood of Victoria, as everyone knows. There is at the present time about a foot of snow at the Post and in its neighborhood. The trail down to the water, especially that portion which leads over a swamp containing about six feet of water, and which is spanned by a single log about a foot in diameter, was covered.

When the governor negotiated the "bridge" yesterday with his well-worn gum boots, Nature brought off her grand coup. There was a shout and a splash, and when the governor was rescued and deposited in the snow he presented a sorry, ludicrous sight, besides being the subject of a good deal of hilarity. But after about two thousand gallons of ice-cold water (Raymur metric measurement) had been emptied out of his hip-high boots, the incident ended happily. The only cause of ill-feeling was an untimely remark from one of the governor's victims that it was indeed a pity that the water in the swamp was not about ten feet deeper.

The week-end fishing in the Arm was hardly up to the usual standard. At Well a joke was played on the joker salmon was landed, with a few grilse. None of the crews of the various boats was turned empty away, however. The lucky fishermen who captured the springer estimated its weight at about ten pounds. His envious comrades reduced that estimate by from two to the Seventeen station only one spring station — a fisherman of four-score years' experience—after weighing the fish with his experienced eye, made a further reduction of a couple of pounds, and when his judgment was received with proper derision, dared the sceptics to put the creature on the scales. His challenge was accepted. The actual weight proved to be five pounds two ounces. But the owner of the spring rightly contends that the inspector of weights and measures has not been attending zealously to his duties.

WANDERERS SNOWED UNDER BY OTTAWA

Capitals Come From Behind and Win in Last Fifteen Minutes of Game

(Special to the Times.)

Montreal, Jan. 29.—In the presence of more than 6,000 spectators at the Arena on Saturday night Ottawa defeated the Wanderers by 8 goals to 2, and secured a grip on the National Hockey Association championship that is not likely to be loosened. After holding Ottawa scoreless for three-quarters of the time the champion Wanders wilted and suffered humiliating defeat. With less than fifteen minutes to go, the Montreal players led 2 to 0. Then followed the biggest blow-up seen on the Arena's glacial surface for a long time. Five goals in less than two minutes and eight in five minutes show how completely the home team wilted after they had kept Ottawa shut out for fifty minutes of the hour's play.

CON JONES' LEAGUE.

Schedule Arranged, to Open on February 25.

The schedule game for the British Columbia Football League, organized by Mr. Con Jones and other Vancouver enthusiasts, and in which Victorians are interested because Ladysmith and Nanaimo are competitors, thus making them full-blooded professionals, and they are in the Island series, in which are also Esquimalt, Foresters and Victoria West, is as follows:

February 25—Vancouver at Caledonian; Nanaimo at Ladysmith.
March 4—Ladysmith at Vancouver; Caledonian at Nanaimo.
March 11—Nanaimo at Vancouver; Caledonian at Ladysmith.
March 18.—Caledonian at Vancouver; Ladysmith at Nanaimo.
March 25.—Ladysmith at Caledonian; Vancouver at Nanaimo.
April 1 — Nanaimo at Caledonian; Vancouver at Ladysmith.
April 8—Vancouver at Caledonian; Nanaimo at Ladysmith.
April 15.—Ladysmith at Vancouver; Caledonian at Nanaimo.
April 22—Nanaimo at Vancouver; Caledonian at Ladysmith.
April 29—Caledonian at Vancouver; Ladysmith at Nanaimo.
May 6 — Ladysmith at Caledonian; Vancouver at Nanaimo.
May 13.—Nanaimo at Caledonian; Vancouver at Ladysmith.

ESQUIMALT LOSES.

On a sloppy field at the Canteen grounds the Foresters put it all over the Esquimalt boys by a score of 7 to 2, on Saturday. Esquimalt never looked like winners at any stage of the game and the match simply resolved itself into a question of how many goals the Foresters would score. For the winners Costello in goal was most conspicuous, and it was owing to his clever saving that the losers were only able to credit themselves with two tallies. Thompson scored both goals for the losers, and Higgins, Miller Barnes and Young (3) scored for the winners. Walter Lorimer refereed to the entire satisfaction of both sides. The teams were as follows:

Foresters—Goal, Costello; backs, Newlands and Walsh; half-backs, Wilson, Clegg and Ferris; forwards, Miller Stewart, Pearson, Young (I.) and Barnes. Reserves: Wm. Young, Higgins and A. Campbell.

Esquimalt—Goal, Bromley; fullbacks, Young (B.), and Isbister; halfbacks, Wylie, Dufty, Slater; forwards, Malcolm, Stevens, Gale, Thomas and Buston. Reserves: Campion and Sullivan.

SPORT NOTES.

Victoria West and North Ward teams and their supporters celebrated the finish of the first division league series Saturday evening. The former gathered at the Poodle Dog restaurant and the Wards assembled at their rooms on Government street. Both spent a pleasant time. The Wards were just as jubilant as their victors, and the latter had nothing but the kindest things to say of those who ran them so close a race for the championship.

The Victoria West Athletic Association's weekly business meeting is changed, for the present, from Monday to Tuesday evenings. Very important business affecting the club and the different teams therewith will be brought up to-morrow evening. All members are requested to be in attendance.

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INVESTIGATING RAILWAY RATES

Case of Alleged Discrimination Now Before the Railway Commission

Montreal, Que., Jan. 30.—The hearing of the application of the Vancouver Board of Trade against the C. P. R. in the case of alleged discrimination in railway rates is still occupying attention of the railway commission in Montreal. The testimony of the general traffic manager of the company, W. R. McInnes, regarding internal traffic arrangements has been completed. By the comparison of rates to and from different eastern and western points the C. P. R. intended to show that there was no discrimination against Vancouver as suggested. The greater coast of transportation was due to the increased cost of operation to which mountainous areas contributed.

Mr. Moule, assistant auditor of disbursements, explained the different classes of expenses of central western and pacific divisions. The Canadian Pacific traffic expenses, transportation expenses, general expenses and total operating expenses were in turn dealt with for the divisions mentioned, but counsel for the Vancouver Board of Trade was not fully satisfied with the extent of data presented before the commision by an order of the Board. There will be offered the same kind of facts in detail regarding Lake Superior division and other parts of the railway line as far east as Montreal. Though the western division figures were supposed by the Canadian Pacific counsel to be sufficient comparison to prove the absence of disciriimination against Vancouver, Mr. MacDonald argued that additional figures should be forthcoming. The commissioners will probably continue hearing further evidence to-day.

SCHENK SEEKS DIVORCE.

Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 30.—Mrs. Laura F. Schenk, at whose trial on a charge of attempting to poison her millionaire husband the jury disagreed, is a free woman. Judge Jordon on Satday released Mrs. Schenk on her own recognizance. It is believed she never will be tried again.

Indications that Mrs. Schenk's troubles were by no means over came immediately after the order for her release. Going before Circuit Judge Harvey, Prosecutor Handlan asked that the woman be injoined from entering her mansion on Wheeling Island or from in any way interfering with her husband, or her two children. Judge Harvey granted the prayer for injunction against Mrs. Schenk, which will prevent her seeing her children, at least for the present.

John O. Schenk on Saturday filed suit for divorce.

CRIMINAL LIBEL CHARGE.

King George's Advisers Institute Proceedings Against E. F. Mylius.

London, Jan. 30.—The News of the World says that King George's advisers have instituted criminal libel proceedings with the object of ending once for all rumors freely circulated for years that His Majesty, when Prince of Wales, was morganatically married to a daughter of an admiral at Malta.

The defendant is Edward F. Mylius, who is said to be connected with The Liberator, published in Paris, which printed the statements on which the libel case is based. Mylius was recently arrested, tried at Bow street and sent to jail. Subsequently, on his own application to the judge, bail was fixed at $100,000.

According to a statement in The Liberator, the defendant intends to enter a plea of justification and also to subpoena the king as a witness. The constitutional law, however, makes it impossible for His Majesty to give evidence in his own country, notwithstanding that he may be anxious to do so.

The Morning Post published a long article on the constitutional law in such an unusual case, saying that the police arrested Mylius during a legal vacation and had abstained from charging him in a police court, according to the usual procedure. Application was made to the judge in chambers, who issued a writ of habeas corpus and then committed him to custody, fixing bail at $100,000, which the prisoner was unable to furnish. The result of this action of the police was that Mylius was legally committed without publicity, and until recently the London papers have made out brief references to the case.

It is understood that the proceedings in the King's libel suit are taken under a statute six hundred years old.

IDLE FREIGHT CARS.

Commission's Order for Prompt Unloading Among Reasons for Present Situation.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—The numbtr of idle freight cars in the United States and Canada, as shown by the report of the American Railway Association is on the increase. On January 18 there were 122,297 idle cars, more than twice that of January 19, 1910, when 51,836 idle cars were reported. Railroad men give three reasons for the surplus: First, snow and storms in 1910 tied up many cars and brought out all the empty cars the railroads could obtain; second, the low ebb at which iron and steel mills and the big manufacturres are operating; third, enforcement of rules of the Interstate Commerce Commission for prompt unloading.

COLONEL DISAPPEARS.

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 28.—A message received to-night from Bisbee, Arizona, says that Colonel Kosterlitsky, commanding the federal rurales in Northern Sonora, has been killed in a fight with insurrectos. This information came from Cananea, Sonora, in a letter from the wife of a prominent business man. Another report from Cananea says it is believed Colonel Kosterlitsky is confined there in a hospital by severe wounds. He mysteriously disappeared four days after a fight with insurrectos.

The billiard table in France is a taxed luxury, there being about 89,678 of the tables in the country.

THE CITY MARKET

Oils—	
Pratt's Coal Oil	.65
Eocene	1.75
Meats—	
Hams (B. C.), per lb.	.22
Bacon (B. C.), per lb.	.28
Hams (American), per lb.	.25
Bacon (American), per lb.	.27
Bacon (long clear), per lb.	.22
Beef, per lb.	.12½@ .20
Pork, per lb.	.15@ .25
Mutton, per lb.	.15@ .20
Lamb, hindquarter	2.50@ 3.00
Lamb, forequarter	1.75@ 2.00
Veal, per lb.	.15@ .25
Suet, per lb.	.15
Farm Produce—	
Fresh Island Eggs	.60
Butter (Creamery)	.50
Butter (Eastern Townships)	.35
Lard, per lb.	.20
Western Canada Flour Mills—	
Purity, per sack	1.90
Purity, per bbl.	7.50
Hungarian Flour—	
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per sack	1.90
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per bbl.	7.50
Robin Hood ,per sack	1.90
Robin Hood, per bbl.	7.50
Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per sack	1.90
Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per bbl.	7.50
Lake of Woods, per sack	1.90
Lake of Woods, per bbl.	7.50
Calgary Hungarian, per sack	1.90
Calgary Hungar ., per bbl.	7.50
Enderby, per sack	1.90
Enderby, per bbl.	7.50
Pastry Flours—	
Snowflake, per sack	1.85
Snowflake, per bbl.	7.00
Vancouver Milling Co., Wild Rose	1.85
Drifted Snow, per sack	1.75
Grain—	
Wheat, chicken feed, per ton.	40.00@50.00
Wheat, per lb.	.02½
Barley	35.00
Whole Corn	40.00
Cracked Corn	42.00
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 7-lb. sk.	.35
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 20-lb. sk.	.90
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 40-lb. sk.	1.90
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 80-lb. sk.	3.50
Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack	.50
Oatmeal, 1.-lb. sack	2.25
Rolled Wheat, 10 lbs.	.65
Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs.	.55
Wheat Flakes, per packet	.12½@ .25
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs.	.45
Graham Flour, 10 lbs.	.45
Graham Flour, 50 lbs.	1.75
Feed—	
Hay (baled. per ton	23.00@30.00
Straw, per bale	.75
Middlings, per ton	35.00
Bran, per ton	31.00
Ground Feed, per ton	35.00
Shorts	33.00
Poultry—	
Dressed Fowl, per lb.	.35
Ducks, per lb.	.25@ .30
Geese (Island), per lb.	.20@ .25
Garden Produce—	
Cabbage, per lb.	.03
Potatoes (local)	1.75@ 2.00
Onions, per lb.	.05
Carrots, per lb.	.02

WHOLESALE MARKET.

Bacon	.17½@ .23
Hams	.16@ .18½
Lard	.14@ .16
Cheese	.15½@ .17
Creamery Butter	.30@ .32
Eggs	.35@ .50
Apples	1.25@ 2.50
Bananas	.05½
Beets, per sack	2.00
Cabbage, per lb.	.03½
Cranberries, per bbl.	12.00
Celery, per doz.	.30
Cauliflower, per doz.	1.75
Grapefruit, per box	4.00
Lemons	5.00@ 4.00
Pineapples, per doz.	3.50
Rhubarb, per lb.	.15
Lettuce, per crate	1.75
Oranges, Navels, case	2.50@ 3.00
Oranges, Japs.	.40
Onions	3.50@ 4.00
Potatoes, per ton	38.00@40.00
Parsnips, per sack	2.00
Tomatoes, per crate	2.50
Turnips, per sack	1.25
Haddies, per lb.	.09
Kippers, per lb.	.10
Halibut, per lb.	.15
Salmon, per lb.	.15
Brazils, per lb.	.19
Almonds, per lb.	.20
Chestnuts, per lb.	.16
Filberts, per lb.	.16
Peanuts, roasted	.10
Walnuts, per lb.	.16@ .21
Dates, per lb.	.07½@ .08½
Figs, per lb.	.10@ .12

CONSULAR AGENT ATTACKED.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 30.—The American embassy at Constantinople has made representations to the Turkish government in regard to the attack on John T. Peristiany, United States consular agent at Alexandretta. The attack on Peristiany was made during a mutiny on board a coasting steamer. Charge d'Affaires Philip at Constantinople was advised of the action of the state department.

TIDE TABLE.

Victoria, January, 1911.

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The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian, west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water.

—All ladies interested in the formation of a Woman's Exchange are requested to meet Mrs. Richards at the Alexandra Club, on Friday, 27th inst., 8 p. m.

Civic Notice!

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable:

1. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Dundas Street, and to construct permanent sidewalks of concrete on both sides of said street, with curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance) also laterals to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and moving of poles, if necessary.

2. To pave Langley Street from Yates Street to Bastion Street with Worswick asphalt pavement.

3. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Courtenay Street between Quadra Street and Vancouver Street, and to construct permanent sidewalk of concrete on the north side of said street, with curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, including sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and moving of poles, if necessary.

4. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Hilda Street between Linden Avenue and Cook Street, and to construct curbs, gutters and boulevards on both sides of said street (including maintenance) also to construct sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and moving of poles, if necessary.

And that the said work shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-law and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of section 4 of said by-law, upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said works, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the Council:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement above mentioned, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvement, and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property, is presented to the Council within 15 days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvement upon such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement as the Council may by by-law in that behalf regulate and determine.

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City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., January 30th, 1911.

Seattle, Wn., Jan. 30.—E. J. Kirk and M. J. Webb, accused by District Attorney Elmer E. Todd of tampering with the veniremen who have been summoned to appear in the C. H. Hillman trial on next Tuesday, were found guilty of contempt of court by Judge Donworth. Kirk was sentenced to six months at the federal penitentiary. McNeil's island, and Webb to four months in the King county jail.

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The Evening Chit-Chat

BY RUTH CAMERON

In a speech the other day, I heard the dean of a large college for women quote a verse from her autograph album, and a sudden sense of tender regret swept over me as if I had heard reference to a dead friend.

Where are the autograph albums of yesteryear?

Well, that's not so hard to answer after all. They're stowed away in the big black trunk, packed between yellowing letters of dubious orthography but stately diction, and rambling diaries of the days when men were not too busy to live.

But where are the autograph albums of to-day?

That's harder to answer.

Are they entirely a missing quantity?

I am afraid so. When was the last time you were asked to write your name and an appropriate sentiment in some school girl's album, as you so frequently were asked in the "good old times?" Myself I cannot remember.

And I'm sorry. I think the autograph album is far too quaint and sweet a custom to let the vandal twentieth century deprive us of it.

An old school friend of my mother's visited us last fall. They were talking of school days and the question came up as to the maiden name of one of the girls.

"I know where to find it," said my mother.

So out of the big black trunk from between the yellowing letters and the rambling diary, she fetched her autograph album. And by its spell we straightway had two laughing, chattering school girls instead of two white-haired grandmothers in the house.

How they poured over the thick, white leaves with their gilt edges and their stately or sentimental messages.

This one bore the gentle admonition:

"Be a good sweet kid and let who will be clever,
Do noble things, not dream them all day long,
And thus make life and death and the vast forever
One grand sweet song."

Another gave this familiar advice:

"To thine own self be true,
And it shall follow as night the day
Thou can't not then be false to any man."

This heartbroken lament adorned another:

"To meet, to know, to love, and then to part,
Is the sad tale of many a school girl's heart."

My mother's guest found her own signature under this wish:

"May peace attend your future hours,
May love your pathway strew with flowers,
And may you always have a friend
True as the one who these lines penned."

How they chattered and laughed and recalled this or that good time, and grew grave over the name of the girl for whom, as for Sweet Alice, "they had fitted a slab of the granite so gray," and laughed, even while the tears stood in their eyes, at the sentimental

"The rose is red, the violent's blue,
Sugar is sweet and so are you,"

of some hopelessly smitten youth who has since married twice and had several children.

Isn't it rather a pity that our children should have no such treasure to fetch out of the black trunk from between yellowing letters and rambling diaries?

Why not try to revive the old custom by giving your little boy or girl an autograph album next birthday?

Why not at the same time bring out your own and stimulate their interest in the gift by showing it to them and telling them some stories of the days when father and mother and some of the other grown-up folks they know were boys and girls?

Ruth Cameron

An official report shows the following remarkable decreases in the death rate of the island of St. Helena: 1902, 34.8; 1903, 20.2; 1904, 14.4; 1905, 14.5; 1906, 11.9; 1907, 9.4; 1908, 9.6; 1909, 6.4. This result is believed by the authorities to be partly due to the greatly improved hygienic conditions under which the islanders live now as compared with ten years ago.

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The Passing Show

Majestic Theatre.

An all-feature programme will be shown to-day and to-morrow.

"The Captain's Bride" is an adaptation from John Luther Long's powerful story, "Baby Grand," and is one of the most thrilling and vital motion picture dramas conceivable. The story is based upon a lapse of memory caused by an injury in a shipwreck. The unfortunate young wife, unable to remember her past, is about to marry the captain who saved her, when her husband appears. She does not remember him, but he, thinking of a trick they used to play on each other, succeeds in restoring her memory. Some of the scenic effects, like the shipwreck, are unusually good, and the whole play is acted with a full appreciation of the dramatic possibilities.

"Winning Back His Love" is a biograph picture illustrating how an ill-treated wife might act if foolish enough. "A Mexican Legend" is a beautiful drama depicting an old legend that is famous in that superstitious country. "Right in Front of Father" is a precocious juvenile comedy.

New Empress Theatre.

Since the reopening of this house it has steadily climbed to the top of the tree, and that is where the management intends to keep it if good service and quality if pictures shown will keep it there, as it is an acknowledged fact that the pictures shown at this house are second to none. For to-day and to-morrow it has some startling features.

"A Mystic Film" by Selig is a marvellous picture; it is a full thousand feet, and not of the kind that we are used to see in this class of film, but one that will mystify one and all. A comedy by the Vitagraph Co., entitled "Clothes Makes the Man," is one that possesses all the crisp and attractive qualities that are usually present in comedies presented by this company.

"A Gamblers End," a very thrilling drama by Pathe Freres, is a western picture showing the type of a man that is rapidly passing away. "Millionaire and the Ranch Girl," a comedy drama by the Essenay Company. Each of the above are a full thousand feet, and every one a feature.

Romano Photoplay Theatre.

Many were the congratulations showered on the heads of the management of this popular picture house Saturday when the public had a chance to see the fine pictures now being exhibited there. The house was packed from floor to roof during the whole day, and it is safe to say that everyone went away highly satisfied. The management have just installed one of the very latest projecting machines, and taking this together with the fine films it is easily seen how this theatre has the best pictures.

Manager Quagliotti has secured for to-day and to-morrow some of the very best features just released, including "Phone 177 Chester," which is a thrilling drama by the Imp Co.; "Bertie's Bandit," an amusing story of the west; "A Woman's Love," and "Little Dorothy," two exceptionally fine pictures by the Powers Co.; "The Little Blind Girl" is another thrilling drama, by the Eclair Co.; while "The Last Chance" is a comedy of the side-splitting kind. The Romano Orchestra will play new and appropriate music for the pictures.

Jamieson's Crystal Theatre.

Favorable comment is general among picture house patrons as to the continued improvement of late weeks in the film service at this theatre. The several subjects, as well as the variety, are of the most superior kind, and this undoubtedly accounts for the business increase, which is rapidly assuming proportions commensurate with the size of the house. Saturday people were turned away. The list of pictures for to-day and to-morrow promises to be fully equal to the best yet shown. They include "The Red Man's Wrath," "Prompt Payment," "Stealing a Ride," "The Vows" and "Antonia Toscarino," this latter an especially strong feature by the Itala company.

The average duration of life in India is twenty-four years. In England it is forty-four years.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Alvo Von Alvensleben left on Saturday for Vancouver.

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Miss Gaudin went over to Seattle on Friday on a short visit.

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Mrs. Roy Troup was a passenger on Saturday's boat from Seattle.

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Chief Justice Hunter left last night on the Adelaide for Vancouver.

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J. B. Knox, Duncan, is in town and is stopping at the King Edward.

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H. P. Sautell, Seattle, is in town and is stopping at the Empress hotel.

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Mrs. J. R. Hill, Cowichan, is in town and is a guest at the King Edward.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Harrington, St. John, N. B., are visitors to Victoria.

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S. Colgate, Vancouver, is in town and is staying at the Dominion hotel.

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F. Bowness, Prince Rupert, is in town and is registered at the Empress.

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S. E. Oliver and R. Edmondson, Proctor, B. C., are guests at the Empress.

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Miss Helmcken, who has been visiting in Vancouver, has returned to town.

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T. A. Dundas, Shawnigan Lake, is in town and is a guest at the King Edward.

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R. E. Ritchie arrived from Vancouver on Saturday and is stopping at the Empress.

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Dr. Geo. A. Williams, Vernon, is visiting Victoria and is staying at the Empress.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Brest, Oak Bay, went over to Vancouver to spend the week-end.

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Mrs. John Warden left Saturday afternoon on the Princess Victoria for Vancouver.

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J. D. Scott was among the passengers on the Adelaide for Vancouver on Saturday night.

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C. Fletcher and wife took passage on the Princess Victoria for Vancouver on Saturday.

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Capt. Ettershank, who has been in town for a few days, left for Vancouver on Saturday.

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Geo. P. Butcher, Tod Inlet, arrived in town on Saturday and is registered at the Dominion.

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R. F. Whitaker arrived from Vancouver on Saturday and is a guest at the King Edward.

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A. K. Hunter arrived on the Princess Charlotte from Vancouver and is a guest at the Empress.

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F. Walker and wife, Seattle, arrived in town on Saturday and are registered at the Empress.

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W. H. Gardiner, C. P. R. freight agent, left on the Princess Victoria for Vancouver on Saturday.

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Mrs. L. T. Darden is a visitor in town from Portland, Ore., and is registered at the Empress.

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James W. Prophet, Salt Spring Island, is in town for a few days and is a guest at the Dominion.

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W. Drever, proprietor of the King's hotel, Regina, is visiting Victoria and is a guest at the Dominion.

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Miss A. Crawford was among the passengers on the Princess Victoria for Vancouver on Saturday.

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A. W. Vance and Wm. Warnock, Telegraph Creek, are in town and are registered at the Dominion.

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R. T. Elliott, K. C., and family, left yesterday, via the Northern Pacific, on a trip to Southern California.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Parks are visitors in town from San Francisco and are staying at the Empress.

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S. Jones and wife, Ladysmith, arrived in town on Saturday and are stopping at the King Edward hotel.

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J. C. Kinghorn, government inspector of boilers, arrived on the Princess Victoria from Seattle on Saturday.

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Mrs. A. C. Flumerfelt was hostess on Thursday evening at a dinner party and on Saturday at a bridge luncheon party.

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Dr. L. T. Seavey, Port Townsend, arrived on the boat from Seattle yesterday and is stopping at the King Edward.

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Capt. G. W. Robarts, Vancouver, who has been spending a few days in town, left on the Princess Victoria on Saturday.

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E. Walbank and wife, Shawnigan Lake, have returned from their trip to the East and are at present stopping with friends in Vancouver.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brant, Calgary, who have been visiting friends in the city, left yesterday on a trip to Southern California points.

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Mrs. F. G. Richards returned to the city by the Princess Victoria from Tacoma, where she has been visiting her son, Dr. B. C. Richards.

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J. W. Wood, of the Wood Motor Co., is back from Portland, where he was visiting the automobile show. He describes it as being a great success.

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Mr. and Mrs. Craddock and son, of this city, left via the C. P. R. for Toronto, where their boy will attend college. Mr. Craddock will return to Victoria.

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Native Sons, Post No. 1, will hold its annual ball on or about April 18, either in the Women's building at the fair grounds or the new ballroom of the Alexandra Club.

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W. E. Ditchburn, superintendent of Indian agencies, returned to the city on Saturday evening. He was one of the passengers on the steamer Tees when she ran aground.

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There was a large gathering of music-lovers at the fourth concert of the Ladies' Musical Club, held in the schoolroom of Christ Church cathedral on Saturday afternoon. The programme was devoted largely to Grieg, and the size of the audience testifies to the musical taste of Victoria.

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The Companions of the Forest will give a social and dance on Thursday next in the A. O. F. hall, on Broad street, and the proceeds will be for the benefit of the widow and children of a recent arrival from England who died in this city. For this purpose an invitation is extended to all. An enjoyable social time is assured, and a worthy object will be aided. Music for the occasion will be provided by Miss Thain.

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The members of the Foul Bay Tennis Club have completed arrangements for their ball to be given at the A. O. U. W. hall on Friday, February 10, and a limited number of ladies' invitations have been issued. The following committee have the matter in hand: J. M. Lawson, F. White, B. M. Shaw, W. Williams, J. S. Brooker and H. Dalby.

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Invitations and programmes have been mailed for the first dance of The Gaiety Club to be held in the A. O. U. W. hall on Monday, February 6. The following committee are in charge: John P. Sweeney, Peter McCarter, Adair Carss, Wm. N. Kennedy and Frank Sweeney, and the dance will be run under the direction of Mrs. George Simpson. The music will be supplied by Miss Thain's orchestra.

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Mrs. A. A. Campbell, bride of the principal of South Park school, held her post nuptial reception at her pretty home near Beacon Hill park on Wednesday afternoon. The rooms were tastefully decorated and a large number of guests welcomed Mrs. Campbell to Victoria. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. J. M. Campbell and Miss Roberts.

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Spiral Blade Kneads the Dough as the Handle Turns.

A bread-making machine, which will quickly knead enough dough to make one to six loaves of bread, has been invented by a New Jersey man. The machine is in the form of a cylinder, which can be clamped fast to the kitchen table, and which has a lid hinged to the top. Inside the cylinder is a spiral blade, which is operated by a handle at one end. The dough is poured inside, and as the handle turns it mixes and kneads by compression

against the ends of the cylinder. The constituency of the dough can be judged by the difficulty with which the handle works without the trouble of lifting the lid. This method of kneading is not only much easier and quicker than doing the work by hand, but is more sanitary.

Engagement rings came into use in Europe as early as the ninth century

LIBERALS MEET AT NEW WESTMINSTER

Convention to Nominate Candidate on April 4—John Oliver Speaks

At a general meeting of the Liberals held at New Westminster on Friday night it was unanimously decided to hold a nomination convention for the New Westminster electoral district on Friday, April 21.

The meeting was largely attended and when President George Kennedy called the assembly to order almost every chair in the hall was filled.

It did not take long for the president to introduce the business for which the meeting had been called, namely, the advisability of calling a nominating convention at an early date.

John Oliver placed the matter in a tangible form by stating that at a meeting of the federal executive, held during the afternoon, it had been decided to call the convention.

He explained that it was time that the Liberals displayed more activity and the sooner a candidate was got into the field for the next Dominion elections the better it would be for the Liberal party in British Columbia.

There was some objection raised to the meeting being called at the present time, but after the matter had been thoroughly threshed out the motion to endorse the action of the committee which fixed the date was put and carried. On a question raised by R. Jardine, John Oliver announced that in case the quarantine in some of the districts was not raised until a short time before the date fixed, the convention would be postponed.

A feature of the evening was an eloquent address by John Oliver, while making some criticisms of the Conservative party and urging the abuses mentioned as a reason for the necessity of hurried and concertetd action on the part of the Liberals.

He first referred to the great number of tramps, vagrants and desperate criminals which seem to come over the boundary at will and which at the present time infest all the boundary country around the Fraser. He did not deny that the Dominion government was in some measure to blame for some of the men who came over the boundary in spite of immigration officials, but he claimed that the provincial Conservative party was much more derelict in its duty for the reason that, although there were two members of the provincial police force stationed in the city of New Westminster, there was not a single officer along the line to protect the lives and property of the people of British Columbia.

When Mr. Oliver stated that he spoke on the subject from personal knowledge there was some laughter, for all present knew the story of Honest John's hold-up, but it could be seen that he was in earnest in his remarks and that the feeling of the meeting was unanimously in accord with the strictures he had expressed.

He proposed to place the blame for such a condition where it belonged—on the shoulders of the attorney-general. It was too much to expect the Liberals to bear the sins of their own party and carry also the blame for the gross carelessness of the provincial Conservatives.

Another matter he touched on was the high cost of living. In the Conservative platform at the recent election it was set forth that certain coal lands owned by the province should be retained and the price of coal thus brought down. But though tens of thousands of acres of coal land had been disposed of not one acre had been set aside for the use of the people. He recalled some history which had taken place at the time he was a member of the house. He had wanted the government to institute an inquiry into the high price of coal, but every Conservative member of the house had gone on record as opposed to the proposition. Dr. McGowan wanted the Dominion government to institute an inquiry, although all the lands and the disposal of them were vested in the provincial parliament.

Now he had changed around and the thing that he (Mr. Oliver) had advocated, namely, a provincial inquiry, was being brought forward by Conservative Dr. McGowan.

Referring to the Canadian Northern Railway policy of the provincial government he said that he would stake his reputation on the assertion that when the road was completed it would be weighed down with an indebtedness of $100,000 per mile. The contract for the construction of the road was let to the Canadian Northern Construction company, another name for Mackenzie & Mann. By this deal he was of the opinion that Sir William Mackenzie and Sir Daniel Mann would be enabled to pocket about $41,000,000.

The land policy of the provincial government also came in for criticism. Hundreds of thousands of acres had passed into the hands of speculators through the negligence or connivance of the Conservative party. "Is it any wonder," he exclaimed, "that the millions of dollars we are taking from our forests and fisheries are going to other countries to supply us with the necessities of life?"

He said that the Conservative party had adopted at their convention in Nelson a resolution to the effect that it was time a colonization policy was adopted by them. This meant that they were now going to build roads to the lands which they had previously disposed of to speculators so that the actual tiller of the soil would be compelled to pay an advanced price for his land and enrich the speculators.

In referring to the Canadian navy he stated that although it had been laughed at by the Conservatives, it was necessary to protect Canada's coast trade and would doubtless lead to greater endeavors along that line. "I look forward to the time when there will be an Imperial council and representatives from Canada will sit on the board. And I say to you that is good Liberal doctrine and nothing to be ashamed of."

George Kennedy, president of the Westminster Liberal Association, gave an interesting report of his visit to Ottawa with the delegation which went to ask for a grant for the improvement of the Fraser river.

AGAINST DUELS IN FRANCE.

Chamber Bill Provides Imprisonment and Fines for "Offenders."

Although from time to time proposals have been brought forward for the abolition of duelling in France, none has excited quite as much interest as that of Abbe Lemire, whose measure is now before the Chamber of Deputies and is inspiring the comment of the public. One well-known advocate of duelling, who says he has fought twenty-one times and has directed 250 meetings, deliberately says that duelling should not be abolished.

"A loyal meeting which nearly equalizes strength," he says, "and which gives to courage a value that could be seen nowhere else, preliminaries which may seem old fashioned, but which convey to each of the adversaries that cold and courteous idea of his rights and his duties, the sensation of danger incurred in common, the correct bow that the opponents exchange ever afterward when they meet in society, even if they do not arrive at complete reconciliation, are all far better than the era of the revolver, the horse-whip or the pugilistic set-to which Abbe Lemire in his kindly spirit would virtually inaugurate with his proposal."

As for publicity, this seems to be a minor matter to "the man who has any regard for his honor." And neither opponents nor seconds will have any care for the penalties proposed. Even Richelieu, exclaims the writer, "with his famous edicts against duellists, for whom the punishment was to be death, did not succeed in suppressing in France a custom which, let us hope, French courtesy for the women of France will maintain as long as there is a French race."

Abbe Lemire's measure makes duels an offence punishable by imprisonment and fines. In the case of wounding an adversary the sentence would be from three months to three years, with a fine ranging from $40 to $400; in case an adversary be killed, the sentence is from one to five years, the fine between $200 and $2,000. Seconds are also liable to similar punishments, while newspapers would be fined for reporting encounters.

SLACK WATER—ACTIVE PASS.

January, 1911.

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The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of the lowest low water in each month of the year. This level is half a foot lower than the datum to which the soundings on the Admiralty chart of Victoria harbor are reduced.

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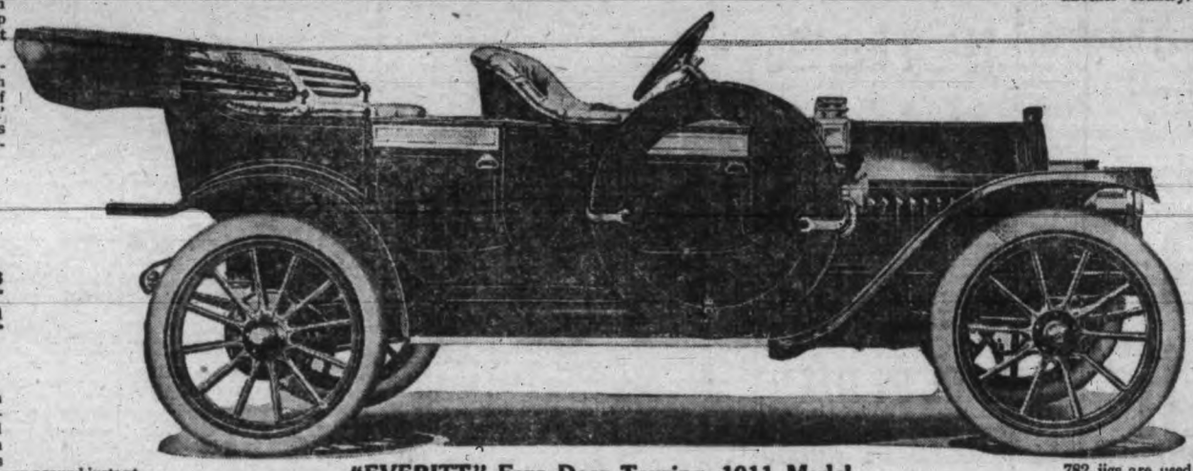

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The "Everitt" adjustable clutch has a light aluminum body instead of a heavy iron body. Because this light clutch can be spun around instantly by the transmission gears, to much higher speed, when dropping from the 'high' to low, (the clutch then being driven by the rear wheels through the transmission), there is no strain or breakages of gear teeth.

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Replacements that Fit---Placed by the Owner

In case of accident, any "Everitt" part from the factory will exactly fit your car to 1-1000th inch. This means that you can fit the part in yourself, without filing. The exact and absolute standardization means lessened breakages anyway. In case of breakages, it means lessened work, time and trouble.

The "Everitt" is a safe buy for every possible accident.

Nickel-Steel Speed Gears that You cannot Injure

These gears are automatically cut from nickel-steel—the material armor plate is made from. The "Everitt" owner gets gears both wear-resisting and tough. They do not chip or break. Your "Everitt" gears keep in good condition, noiseless, slow-wearing.

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They are housed at the rear axle, saving a universal joint and lost power, and run in a bath of heavy oil that cushions them, so they cannot grind out of true.

An Extra-Strong Frame with Double Drop

The side units of the "Everitt" chassis frame are pressed steel in channel section, with extra wide 4-inch channel. This gives great strength, with light weight. The low body of the car is more graceful, better looking and easier to enter on account of the double-drop frame. You also get the benefit in the length of service of the "Everitt."

Perfect Equipment--Lots of It---the Best

Not merely best quality equipment goes with the "Everitt," but every "Everitt" has "Special Tudhope" equipment; a complete extra tire, cover, holders, shock absorbers, robe and foot rail, with the car. The gas lamps are of extra size, and Gray and Davis make. The Bosch magneto, high tension winding, gives a fring spark on a quarter turn of motor. This makes starting easy.

You don't get the above equipment with other cars at any price. Their full "Special Tudhope" equipment is first introduced by the Tudhope interests, and is the only such equipment in the world.

The usual equipment of tool kit, horn, generator, gas and oil lights, comes with the "Everitt" in addition to the above *extraordinary* regular equipment.

You get a better and fuller equipment with the "Everitt" than in yna other car on the market.

A Car the Owner Can Run and Care For

The "Everitt" is simplified to the highest degree. The motor has 152 less parts than the next simplest motor on the market. The chassis has few parts. In actual practice it is small parts getting wrong that 'tie up' the car. These parts are eliminated in the "Everitt." The result is that it is hard to get the "Everitt" car out of running order.

The owner can easily understand and operate his "Everitt." He can easily get at the motor, and remove any single piston, valve, etc., without disarranging or disturbing any other part of the motor.

Easy care is insured by accessible oil cups, automatic internal oiling of motor, a perfect magneto, a special "Everitt" carburetor, simple gear and brake levers and connections, etc.

A Car with Low Upkeep Costs

The long-stroke motor saves gasoline consumption, as the spark may be much more delicately adjusted and manipulated than in the short-stroke motor. Also, the throttle control is more delicate. The torque from the explosion is greater and there is less piston leakage, because the long-throw crank is more responsive to the explosion impulse.

The tire-cost is low because the large wheels save tire wear. The light chassis saves tire wear. The low centre of gravity saves side shocks on tire. The large tires keep inflation better and heat less than small tires.

The tuning-up cost of the "Everitt" is much reduced through accurate 1-1000th inch standardization and fitting. This perfect construction maintains original factory perfection. The simplicity of motor and its strong main casting avoid 'falling away' from original condition. There is almost no attention needed for the "Everitt."

The saved weight of chassis and motor mean lessened strain on tire and car at all times.

Canadian Making Means Preferability

The "Everitt" must be right as a car, as perfect as possible in every detail. The manufacturers cannot evade responsibility by distance from the consumer, by customs and exportation trade barriers, by having a tremendous market to draw on.

For the Canadian, this makes the Canadian-made "Everitt" the most preferable practical car purchase he can make. It is made within his market by makers within his reach, who are vitally interested in satisfying his needs by car service, wear, and perfection, with no alternative market in another country. The car *must* be right. This preferability extends also to replacements under the guarantee or repairs. There is no slow and distant shipment of parts, no customs formalities, nothing but a quick transaction of the business needed and a direct shipment of the part replaced.

782 'Jigs' Make the "Everitt" Right

A jig is a guide for a machine and a holder for a part being machined. 782 jigs are used to make "Everitt" parts, one jig for each part. The one jig makes scores of parts exactly alike by being used scores of times. The blank drop-forging held in the jig is worked on by machine after machine, and when that part is completed, the jig, with a new piece, carries its new blank forging through precisely the same series of machines. Therefore, every "Everitt" part of one kind is absolutely like every other part of that kind because the same jig is used, and the same tools are guided by this jig the same way to 1-1000th inch on exactly the same place in each blank forging.

This means standardization—all parts alike. It also means strength and good building.

A Two Years' Guarantee to Back Up "Everitt" Quality

The manufacturer of any car will not extend his guarantee a day beyond the usual 60 days' time, unless the quality in his product, thoroughly known by the manufacturer, will permit and make a long guarantee possible.

The "Everitt" guarantee is *two years from date of purchase.*

This is *twelve* times the length of guarantee given buyers of good cars. It means in the "Everitt" proof of *extreme* quality.

It points to the car every Canadian wanting a service car ought to buy.

A $10,000-Car Inspection Service on the $1,450 "Everitt"

The guarantee of two years is made possible by the *rigid* inspection service on the "Everitt" during making.

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This great cost-saving, minute adjustments by hand being avoided, is partly given back to the buyer in rigid and microscopic inspection of each part for flaws.

Every "Everitt" part has 5 to 50 inspections for flaws.

Every "Everitt" jig is checked again and again by gauges.

Parts with the least flaw, though accurate to 1-1000th inch, are instantly thrown out, because the jigs permit accuracy automatically. Such rejected parts represent comparatively small cost. They would be too costly to discard if made accurately by old methods, and the manufacturer would 'take a chance'—and hope his 60-day guarantee would be too short to let trouble develop.

In the "Everitt" all such parts are thrown out on the same basis that they are thrown out on parts of $10,000 cars.

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THE EAGLES' BALL

Loaded with a large cargo and 356 passengers, of whom 37 joined the vessel here, the Pacific Coast steamship Governor, Capt. Cousins, left port yesterday morning for San Francisco and other southern points.

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After discharging over 1,500 tons of general freight at the outer dock, the Blue Funnel liner Oanfa, Cape Lycett, left for the Sound on Saturday night. She will not return here until on her outward bound trip.

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Carrying a large number of passengers, the G. T. P. steamer Prince George, Capt. Robertson, left last night for Prince Rupert and other northern ports. Among the passengers who arrived on the vessel from the north Saturday night were: Capt. C. H. Nicholson, superintendent of the G. T. P. steamship service, and wife, C. Nickerson, port chief steward, J. H. Bacon, harbor engineer, Major G. E. Gibson, J. Mitchell and Dr. Ewing.

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Two months' suspension of papers is the penalty for a charge of unskillful navigation preferred against Capt. James T. Daniels, master of the steamship Olympia, lost on Bligh island reef, Prince William Sound, December 10. In imposing the penalty the local United States inspectors point out that it is light and explain this by stating that the danger of navigating Prince William sound, the absence of aids to navigation and the severity of the weather have been considered in Capt. Daniels' favor.

YUCATAN WILL AGAIN SEE ACTIVE SERVICE

North Pacific Steamship Company Will Use Her on Portland-'Frisco Run

Announcement has been made by C. P. Doe, president of the North Pacific Steamship Company, which recently purchased the damaged steamer Yucatan from the Alaska Steamship Company for the sum of $40,000, that the vessel will be repaired and placed on the San Francisco, Astoria and Portland service.

The work of repairing the steamer will take several months, and will undoubtedly prove an expensive undertaking as the interior of the vessel will practically have to be rebuilt. She is to be taken to the Columbia river, and it is expected that the contract for repairing her will be awarded to the Willamette iron works. Just when the Yucatan will be towed from the outer dock to the Columbia is not known, but it is stated that it will be within the next few days.

Following the floating of the Yucatan by the B. C. Salving Co., the vessel was brought to Victoria for a survey, and ever since that time she has been lying alongside the outer dock while the dispute between owners and underwriters has been going on. The story is familiar to all, the owners maintaining that the vessel was a constructive loss, which contention was denied by the underwriters. Recently, however, a compromise was effected, whereby the Yucatan was sold to Doe for $40,000, and this sum, with $160,000 more, paid to the Alaska Steamship Company.

The Yucatan will be operated with the steamers Roanoke, George W. Elder and Santa Clara on this run. She is to be especially fitted for the service, and while not so finally equipped as she was prior to her stranding she will be converted into a comfortable vessel.

ONE PLATE ON TEES PUNCTURED BY ROCKS

Also Several Dints in Hull—Repairs Will Take a Week—Trip Cancelled

Examinations of the hull of the steamer Tees, which grounded on Gowland island Thursday night, revealed the fact that there is a small hole in one of her plates and that there are several large dents in some of the other plates. The injured vessel was hauled out on the B. C. Marine ways yesterday and work on repairing her will commence immediately. Captain Troup, manager of the B. C. Coast Service, announced this morning that the schedule trip of the Tees on the first of the month for the West Coast would be cancelled.

With a slight list to starboard the Tees arrived in port on Saturday evening, bringing little additional news of the accident. After the steamer had left Ucluelet, Capt. Gillam left the pilot house and Chief Officer Hicks was in charge. The weather at the time of the grounding was very dirty and the night dark, and it seems that the officer in the wheel house shaped too fine a course in rounding the jagged group of islands at the termination of the western channel.

The vessel was travelling at a fair rate of speed and a bad jar was felt as she struck. Capt. Gillam had the passengers taken ashore shortly after the vessel hit and when she was floated they embarked and were taken to their destination. The pumps on the vessel handled what water seeped in and at no time was the vessel in any danger.

Capt. Gillam was loud in praise of the excellent manner in which his officers and crew behaved, and also to the passengers, who were cool and collected after the vessel struck. While the Tees was on her way to this port a numbr of the passengers, who had become impressed by the splendid way in which Capt. Gillam handled the situation, presented him with the following testimonial:

"We, the undersigned passengers of the Tees, on the occasion of the accident to the vessel between Ucluelet and Sechart, beg to give testimony to our appreciation of the action of the captain and crew and the manner in which they acted in this emergency. We especially wish to allude to the cool and clear-headed manner in which Capt. Gillam carried out his duties as commander. Many of us are regular travellers on the West Coast, and have every confidence in his ability and appreciation of his constant courtesy. Signed, F. A. MacDonald, A. W. Neill, W. E. Ditchburn, C. B. Kennedy, W. L. Burns, Jas. Clark, W. Mayenter, H. Mickelsen, G. Aakre, J. Andersen, O. A. Sherberg, Robt. Imrie, Wm. Kelly, M. S. Layson, W. E. Stones, T. H. Payne and family, R. Renn, B. Sterling, B. N. Cator, Jas. Hilton, C. G. Gass, C. S. Knox, J. R. Ildstad."

The verdict of the jury which inquired into the death of Robert Lawson, second officer of the Queen Alexandra, lying at Vancouver, who fell from the gang plank early on Tuesday morning while attempting to go aboard, was to the effect that the deceased "came to his death by falling from the gang plank of the ship and striking his head against the boom, thereby fracturing his skull." They also added a rider to the effect that better precautions should be taken to ensure safety in such cases. Lawson was the holder of master's papers and was held in the highest esteem by Captain McDonald of the Queen Alexandra. He leaves a wife and six children in the Old Country.

PASSENGERS TELL OF THEIR EXPERIENCES

Praise for Officers of Cottage City and Hospitality of the Lighthouse Keeper

Passengers who were bound for Alaskan ports on the steamer Cottage City when she grounded on Cape Mudge last Thursday evening, and who arrived in Seattle on Saturday, will make another attempt to reach their destinations tomorrow evening. They will go north on the steamer Jefferson at the expense of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company. On reaching Seattle on the U. S. life-saving cutter Snohomish, the first relief vessel to catch the news of the steamer's stranding, the passengers seemed little the worse for their rather rough experience.

The story of the wreck of the Cottage City as told by various persons who were on the ship redounds to the credit of Capt. A. C. Jansen, his officers and crew for excellent discipline and cool-headed action in the time of emergency. For Capt. Haak and his officers and men on the Snohomish every passenger had a word of praise. Every officer vacated his quarters for the women, meals were served at all hours, and every effort was made to make the shipwrecked people comfortable until they were landed in Seattle.

The Cottage City was proceeding slowly for about half an hour before 2 o'clock, because of a dense snowstorm which had blotted out all signs of land. Shut in by this white pall, the whistle sounding with monotonous regularity, most of the passengers were in the cabins, reading, talking and resting. At about 2 o'clock the bells jangled and the vibration of the engines ceased. The ship drifted silently through the snow pall except when the whistle roared.

At 2.10, without any warning, the vessel crashed violently on rocks. A heavy sea was running and after the first shock the steamship lifted and dropped several times, the timbers groaning and cracking under the strain. Then the Cottage City settled quietly and slowly listed to starboard until the decks were at an angle of 20 degrees.

That night Lightkeeper Davidson and his wife, at Cape Mudge, as hospitable hosts as shipwrecked people could wish for, entertained sixty people at supper in their small quarters, while a number of other members of the crew and passengers dined with an Indian missionary a mile and a half away. In the lighthouse the tired passengers sat about all night, save for the women, who were accommodated with places to sleep by Mr. and Mrs. Davidson.

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

From the Orient.

Inaba Maru	Feb. 2
Empress of China	Feb. 3
Mexico Maru	Feb. 9
Suveric	Feb. 12

From Australia.

Zealandia	Feb. 8

From Liverpool.

Bellerophon	Feb. 18

From Mexico.

Henley	Feb. 24

For the Orient.

Empress of China	Feb. 22
Hallamshire	Feb. 4
Seattle Maru	Feb. 4

For Mexico.

Lonsdale	Feb. 10

For Liverpool.

Oanfa	Feb. 22

For Australia.

Zealandia	Feb. 24

COASTWISE STEAMERS.

From San Francisco.

President	Feb. 1
Umatilla	Feb. 5

From Skagway.

Princess Beatrice	Jan. 30

From Northern B. C. Ports.

Prince George	Feb. 4
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From Nanaimo.

City of Nanaimo	Feb. 7

For San Francisco.

President	Feb. 1

For Skagway.

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For Northern B. C. Ports.

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Vadso	Feb. 2

For Nanaimo.

City of Nanaimo	Jan. 31

FERRY SERVICE.

Victoria-Vancouver.

Princess Victoria leaves Victoria daily at 2.30 p. m., except Sunday, arriving at Vancouver at 8.15 p.m.; Princess Adelaide leaves Victoria daily at 11.45 p. m., arriving at Vancouver at 6 a. m.

Princess Charlotte leaves Vancouver daily, except Tuesday, at 10 a. m., arriving at Victoria at 2.45 p. m.; Princess Adelaide leaves Vancouver at 1 a.m. daily, arriving at Victoria at 6.30 p. m.

Victoria-Seattle.

Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria daily, except Monday, at 4.30 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 9 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 10 a. m., arriving at Victoria at 2.30 p. m. On the lie-over day the steamer Iroquois, of the Alaska-Puget Sound Navigation Co., fills the schedule.

Vancouver-Seattle.

Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver daily, except Sunday, at 11.30 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 5.30 a. m.; Princess Charlotte leaves Seattle at 11.30 p. m. daily, except Monday, arriving at Vancouver at 8 a. m.

QUESTION OF STRIKES.

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 30.—Having for its object a curtailment of the power of the executive board of the United Mine Workers of America, the miners' convention late to-day adopted a constitutional amendment providing that a general strike cannot be called unless it is voted upon favorably by a majority of its members.

The flower trade of London is estimated to amount to $35,000 a day.

STRIPPED PROPELLER AND INJURED RUDDER

Leebro Struck Rock in Barkley Sound—Was Beached and New Screw Fitted

Striking a submerged rock in Barkley Sound on Friday night during very thick weather, the steamer Leebro, owned by Leeming Bros., and under charter to the Marine and Fisheries department, stripped her propeller and injured her rudder. As the steamer is not equipped with wireless no word of the accident was received in this city until Saturday afternoon.

Capt. Hunter, who is in command of the Leebro, had his vessel beached and the spare propeller which is carried was fitted. Temporary repairs were made to the rudder and her injuries will not necessitate her returning to Victoria immediately. It appears that the Leebro, which has a considerably deeper draught aft than forward, must have just grazed the rock with the stern part of her keel and that the blades of the propeller were broken through coming in contact with the rock, as no other damage was done to the vessel.

The Leebro left here about the middle of the week for Nootka and Estevan, carrying Resident Engineer Killeen. He left to inspect the new lighthouse now in course of erection at Nootka. Contrary to former reports received the Leebro will not return to Victoria before completing her present trip.

PUEBLA ARRIVES TO-DAY.

Taking the place of the Pacific Coast steamship Queen, which was badly damaged by fire shortly after leaving San Francisco for this port, the City of Puebla, Capt. White, arrived at the outer dock this morning and after discharging the local freight left for the Sound. Her cargo this trip was comparatively small, and as the greater part of that on the Queen was destroyed. Her passenger list was also small, those bound for Victoria being: C. Rivers, John D. Guire, W. McCormick, Katherine McCormick, J. V. McCormick, M. D. Jenkins, Judson McCabe, Mrs. Annie McDonald and Fred Farley in the saloon, and eight as second class.

LONSDALE IN WITH BIG GENERAL CARGO

Large Quantities of Wire Netting and Barbed Wire Consigned to Victoria

Bringing sufficient wire netting to fence off the greater part of Vancouver Island from the rest of the world and enough barbed wire to place on top of it to keep intruders out, the Canadian-Mexican liner Lonsdale, Capt. Bate, arrived in port yesterday afternoon from Salina Cruz and way ports. She brought north one of the largest cargoes she has handled for some time, in all nearly two thousand tons.

Of wire netting the steamship had 2,500 rolls and of barbed wire she had an equal amount, all of which is consigned to E. G. Prior & Co. The remainder of the cargo consists of general freight, including four hundred tons for this port, and was brought from England via the Atlantic and the Tehuantepic railway. Consigned to Vancouver business men were three Scottish-made automobiles.

The Lonsdale was out twelve days from Salina Cruz, arriving here one day ahead of her schedule, having been aided by favorable winds. A strong southeasterly gale was encountered off Cape Mendocino, which battered and tossed the Lonsdale badly. The remainder of the passage was fine, little rough weather being experienced. When nearing Cape Flattery the thermometer dropped considerably and sharp frosts were met.

John Hill, one of the firemen on the Lonsdale, who was stricken with fever while the vessel was in Salina Cruz on her last trip, had sufficiently recovered from the attack to come north this passage. There were few startling incidents seen in the south by the officers and crew during their stay at the southern ports.

WIRELESS REPORTS

Jan. 30, 8 a. m.

Tatoosh—Cloudy; wind S. E., 8 miles; 29.84; 36; sea smooth.

Pachena—Cloudy; calm; 29.45; 46; sea smooth. Spoke H. M. C. S. Rainbow, at 7:50 a. m.

Estevan—Cloudy; wind S. E.; 29.44; 32; light swell.

Triangle—Snow; wind S. W.; strong gale; 29.81; 29. Spoke Empress of Japan in lat. 49.24, long. 129, at 8 p. m. westbound. Spoke Makura, 920 miles southwest of Cape Flattery at 8:50 p. m.

Ikeda—Cloudy; calm; 29.38; 30; sea smooth. Out, Amur, at 7 a. m., southbound.

Prince Rupert—Overcast; calm; 29.39; 32; sea smooth. Spoke Quadra at 8 a. m., off Spiller River, southbound.

Noon.

Point Grey—Cloudy; calm; 29.96; 38; sea smooth. Spoke Salvor off Ballenas Island, bound for Victoria.

Cape Lazo—Cloudy; calm; 29.80; 36; sea smooth. Steamer Cetriana passed there at 9:15 a. m., southbound.

Tatoosh—Cloudy; wind S. E., 6 miles; 29.88; 38; sea smooth. In, steamer at 10:15 a. m.

Pachena—Cloudy; calm; 29.47; 40; sea smooth. Spoke Rainbow Lesaro at Banfield.

Estevan—Raining; wind S. E.; 29.51; 38; sea moderate.

Triangle—Squally; wind S. W., 20 miles; 29.80; 30; heavy swell. Spoke Jefferson, at 8:15 a. m., 5 miles south of Cape Kelvin, southbound.

Prince Rupert—Snow; wind S. E.; 29.50; 38; sea smooth. Spoke Quadra at 10:15 off Watson Rock.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

San Francisco, Jan. 28.—Arrived: Steamers Northland, Columbia river; W. S. Porter, Douglas island. Sailed: Steamers Koreo, Hongkong; Admiral Sampson, Charles Nelson, Seattle; Shasta, Bellingham; Hoquiam, Willapa; Asuncion, Port Angeles; schooner Alvena, Columbia river.

Portland, Jan. 28.—Arrived: Steamers Bear, San Pedro and San Francisco; John Poulsen, San Francisco. Sailed: Steamer Shna Yak, San Francisco.

Tacoma, Jan. 28.—Arrived: Steamer Harold Dollar; San Francisco. Sailed: Japanese steamer Seattle Maru, Seattle; Norwegian steamer Elsa, Port Blakeley; steamer Watson, Seattle.

New York, Jan. 28.—Sailed: Regina d'Italia, Naples.

Glasgow, Jan. 28.—Sailed: Lakonia, St. John, N. B.; Furnessia, New York, via Moville; Ontarian, Portland, Maine.

Liverpool, Jan. 28.—Sailed: Baltic, New York, via Queenstown; Lusitania, New York via Queenstown.

Los Angeles, Jan. 28.—Arrived: Steamer Rose City, from Portland. Sailed: Steamer President, for Seattle; steamer Francis H. Leggett, for the Columbia river; steamer Klamath, for Portland.

Astoria, Jan. 28.—Arrived: Steamer Bear, from San Francisco and San Pedro for Portland and proceeded; steamer Johan Poulsen, from San Francisco for Portland and proceeded; schooner Virginia, from San Francisco for Portland, and proceeded. Sailed: Steamer Beaver, for San Francisco and San Pedro; steamer Nehalem, with lumber, for San Francisco.

WOMAN SHOT BY SON.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 30.—With a dangerous wound in her neck, Mrs. Julia Strand is in St. Vincent's hospital, where she will be operated on to-day, as a result of being shot with a bullet from a 22 rifle in the hands of her son Frank, aged ten. The lad previously had been to a moving picture show at which he had seen the adventurous life of border rangers depicted. Mrs. Strand's chances for recovery are favorable.

The son arrived home ahead of his parents last night and loaded his rifle. Two or three times, he said, he fancied he heard noises in the building. Later when his parents arrived, he pointed the gun at his mother and fired. The bullet entered near the base of the skull.

The boy was taken to the police station, where he told the story of the shooting to the police and asserted that he had forgotten that the weapon was loaded when he aimed it at his mother. He was released in the custody of his father, Adolph Strand.

It is expected that the Canadian Northern Pacific Fisheries Company's steamer Petriana, Capt. Sharforth, will leave to-night for Naden Harbor with supplies and material for the new whaling station being constructed there. She loaded her cargo at the outer wharf.

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Repairs to the steamer John L. Card, which narrowly escaped destruction by fire at Seattle a month ago, have been completed and she is bringing a cargo of plaster and general merchandise to Victoria.

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On Saturday afternoon the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Sado Maru left port for the Orient with a large cargo, including machinery and flour. She also carried a number of passengers for various points in the Far East.

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REALTY CASE HEARING BEFORE JUDGE YOUNG

Marriott & Fellows Sue for Commission on Sale—February List in County Court

A real estate commission action was commenced in the County Court this morning before Judge Young, in which Marriott & Fellows, Trounce avenue, claim $420 commission from Mrs. Soper for the sale of her property on Douglas street opposite the North Ward school at $8,400. The defence is a denial of a sale having been effected on the terms authorized.

Plaintiff's manager claimed having received instructions to sell at $8,400, and that he had sold, offering first part cash and later the whole cash. The vendor had refused to complete.

The vendor said she had listed the property on the condition that she got at least $4,000 as the first payment and that the sale was made in time for her to secure another property at the Fountain, Douglas street, with the first payment of the sale on her house. When terms were finally arranged by the agent, she found the Fountain property had been sold, and then withdrew from the sale. The plaintiff claims she obstructed him in selling and would not complete when he had the terms arranged prior to the Fountain sale, but purchase of the latter he claimed was not conditional on his instructions. The defendant was in the witness box at the lunch adjournment. D. S. Tait appears for the plaintiff, and E. E. Wootton for the defendant.

The County Court list for February has been made up. The court will sit February 6th, with the following cases before it:

Burns & Co. (Moresby) v. Bruggy (Tait).

Little (Shandley) v. Canada Buffalo Forge Co., et al. (McDiarmid, with J. H. Lawson).

Leiser & Co. (Morphy) v. LeCoque (Tait).

Lindley (Higgins) v. Ermer (Moresby).

Gray (Crease) v. Chapman (Helmcken).

Shade (Aikman) v. Esnouf (Tait).

Brayshaw (Morphy) v. Cucrest (Mann).

Stedham (Higgins) v. Adkinson & Dill (H. W. R. Moore).

Royal Bank (Griffin) v. Fraser (Moore).

Lai Chee (McPhillips) v. Wing Hong Yuen & Co. (Peters).

Ching Chung (Higgins) v. Bell (Langley).

Sough Singh (Aikman) v. Pak Singh (Tait).

Winter (Harrison) v. Lush (in person).

CARRIE NATION DYING.

Eureka Springs, Ark., Jan. 30. — Friends of Carrie Nation here are in receipt of news to-day that the famous anti-saloon crusader is sinking rapidly and that her death is momentarily expected.

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(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
New York, Jan. 30.

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Amal. Copper	63½	62	62⅞
Amn. Agr. Chemical	57⅞	49½	51½
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Amn. Can., pref.	82	81¼	81¼
Amn. Car. & Foundry	55	54½	54⅞
Amn. Cotton Oil	60¼	59	59
Amn. Ice Securities	19½	19	19
Amn. Locomotive	41¼	40	40⅞
Amn. Smelting	78⅜	77⅛	78⅛
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	144⅞	144¼	144⅞
Atchison	107⅞	106⅞	107⅞
B. & O.	109¼	108¼	108⅞
B. R. T.	77⅞	77¼	77½
C. P. R.	210½	209⅞	209⅞
Central Leather	31½	30⅝	31
C. & O.	85½	84½	84⅞
C. & G. W.	23⅞	23⅜	23½
C., M. & St. P.	129⅞	128½	129⅞
Colo. Fuel & Iron	35½	35	34½
Con. Gas	142⅞	142¼	142¼
D. & R. G.	30⅝	30½	30
Do., pref.	71	70½	70
Distillers Sec.	34⅞	34	34
Erie	29⅜	28⅜	29
Do., 1st pref.	48⅞	47	47⅞
Do., 2nd pref.	36⅞	36½	36½
Goldfield Cons.	6⅜	6⅜	6½
G. N., pref.	128½	127	127⅞
G. N. Ore ctfs.	60	59½	59⅞
Illinois Central	137⅞	137	136⅞
Inter-Metro.	19⅜	19½	19½
Do., pref.	54½	53	53⅞
Inter-Harvester	116⅞	115⅞	116½
Kas. City Southern	34	33⅞	34
L. & N.	144½	144	144
Lehigh Valley	178½	177⅞	178
M., St. P. & S. S. M., pref.	149	148½	147½
M., K. & T.	35⅞	35	35⅞
Mo. Pacific	51½	50½	51
Nat. Biscuit	123	121⅞	122½
Nat. Lead	57⅞	56½	56⅞
Nevada Cons.	18⅜	18⅜	18½
N. Y. C.	112⅞	112¼	112⅞
N. Y., O. & W.	42⅜	42	42¼
N. & W.	107⅞	107½	107⅞
N. P.	121⅜	120½	121⅞
Pennsy.	127½	127⅛	127⅛
Pressed Steel Car	34	33½	33⅞
Reading	157¼	156⅞	[illegible]
Rep. Iron & Steel, pref.	97⅞	97	97⅞
Rock Island	33½	32⅞	33
Do., pref.	64	63½	63
S. P.	119½	118⅞	119½
Sou. Railway	28½	27⅞	28
Do., pref.	65½	64⅞	65½
Tenn. Copper	36⅜	35½	35½
Texas Pacific	27⅞	27	27⅞
U. P.	177⅞	175⅞	176⅞
U. S. Rubber	39⅞	39	39⅞
U. S. Steel	79½	78⅜	79⅞
Do., pref.	120	119½	119⅞
Utah Copper	45½	44⅞	45
Va. Car. Chem.	67½	65½	66⅞
Wabash, pref.	35⅞	35¼	35½
Western Union	75½	75	74½
Wisconsin Central	62	61	61

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CALIFORNIA'S RAINFALL.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 3.—A downpour of 12 inches in three weeks is the record for San Francisco and vicinity, according to a bulletin issued from the weather bureau to-day. Rain, which began four days ago, fell steadily to-day and was predicted to continue to-night and to-morrow. The rain report of this season compares favorably with those of others, according to Forecaster McAdie, despite the dry months last fall. The rainfall was general throughout the state, McAdie says.

MUST GUARD AGAINST PLAGUE.

Professor Lydstone Urges That Precautions Be Taken at San Francisco.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—California more than ever before should be on its guard against the bubonic plague, according to Dr. J. Frank Lydstone, professor of surgery at the University of Illinois.

"Until all ships coming to the United States from plague-infected China are stopped outside ports and the rats aboard destroyed, America will be in danger of plague, as that now raging in the Orient," he said to-day.

HUNTING FATALITY.

Seattle Youth Killed by Accidental Discharge of Shotgun.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 30.—Lawrence Gormley, 17, is dead to-day as a result of an accidental discharge of a shotgun which the young man was carrying on a hunting trip yesterday. Gormley slipped on an ice-covered rock and stumbled. The gun exploded, the full charge entering his side. The victim was a son of Col. Matt. H. Gormley, former county treasurer.

FIGHT FOR CRIPPEN ESTATE.

London, Jan. 30.—A legal battle for the estate of Dr. Hawley H. Crippen, who was hanged for the murder of his wife, Belle Elmore, was begun here to-day, when Theresa Hunn, half sister of the murdered actress, filed a contest for the Crippen property, which is said to be worth about $10,000.

Attorney Grazebrook, representing Ethel Claire Le Neve, with whom Crippen fled to America, is opposing Theresa Hunn's claim. The case has been taken under advisement.

SEARCH FOR MURDERER.

Kahlotus, Wash., Jan. 30.—Following reports that Charles Cook, who shot and instantly killed James Walker, a saloonman, had appeared at a ranch near here yesterday and demanded food, a large posse headed by Sheriff Davis took the trail early to-day to renew the efforts to capture the man.

Cook shot Walker a week ago and then fled to the hills. Several posses searched for him unsuccessfully for two days and then returned home. Cook is without funds.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Chicago, Jan. 30.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	97¼	97⅜	95⅞	96¼
July	94	94⅜	93	93
Sept.	92⅝	92⅞	91⅞	91½
Corn—				
May	49⅞	49⅞	49⅜	49½
July	50⅝	50⅝	50½	50⅞
Sept.	51⅞	51⅞	51⅞	51⅞
Oats—				
May	34¼	34⅞	33⅞	33⅞
July	34½	34½	33⅞	33⅞
Sept.	33¼	33¼	32⅞	32⅞
Pork—				
Jan.	23.00	23.00	23.00	23.00
May	18.42	18.47	18.37	18.37
Lard—				
Jan.	9.97	10.00	9.95	10.00
May	9.82	9.87	9.82	9.82
Short Ribs—				
Jan.	10.82	10.90	10.82	10.90
May	9.82	9.87	9.82	9.82

Diamonds have been found in fallen meteorites.

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NO. 3—Two lots on Prior street, north of and near Hillside avenue. Size 51x135. Terms to suit. Price, each **$735**

No. 4—One lot on Grahame Street, above Hillside. Size 51 x 135. Terms, $250 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Price **$675**

NO. 5—Three lots on Grahame street, north of and near Hillside avenue. Terms, one-third cash; balance 1 and 2 years. Price, each **$750**

NO. 6—Two lots on King's Road, opposite Vancouver. Size 54x110, with 20 foot lane. Terms, one-third cash; balance arranged. Price, each. **$1,100**

No. 7—One lot on Fifth Street, close to Bay. Size 50 x 135. Terms, 1-3 cash, balance 6 and 12 months. Price **$700**

NO. 8—One lot on King's Road between Blanchard and Work street. Size 66x100, with 20 ft. lane. Terms to suit. Price **$1,300**

NO. 9—Two lots on Grahame street near King's Road. Size 50x125, with 20 ft. lane. Terms, one-third cash; balance 1 and 2 years. Price, for the two, is **$1,375**

No. 10—One lot on Empress Avenue, east of Cook. Terms, $225 cash balance $10 per month. Price **$700**

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ANNUAL REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

City Parks—Expenditures on Improvements — Much Stock at Nursery

T. Purdy, superintendent of parks and boulevardes, has just submitted his annual report to Ald. Humber, chairman of the parks committee of the city council. It is a very interesting document, indicating that under the fatherly care of Ald. Humber the various "breathing spaces" of the city have been well looked after.

There is now stock at the nursery at Beacon Hill valued at $9,033. The present value of the operating plant at the various parks is put at $4,351.10. The present nursery stock was planted and reared under D. D. England's direction and now contains no less than 48,358 trees and shrubs valued at $5,858; 10,000 seedlings and cuttings valued at $65; 2,500 bedding plants, $850; 20,000 herbaceous plants, $2,000; 1,780 trees ready for planting, $880. During the year $5,000 bedding plants, 2,000 perennials and 961 trees and shrubs were sent out from the nursery.

The expenditure on the various parks during the year was as follows:

Beacon Hill Park and nursery	$12,212.30
Gorge park	1,467.87
North Ward park	2,914.07
Quadra street cemetery	269.42
Pandora street curb	1,581.82
Boulevard maintenance	6,431.65

About six miles of boulevards were constructed during the year.

At Beacon Hill park a new dressing-room fitted with lavatories, new park seats, swings, bridges, drainage, trees planted and flower beds laid compose some of the work done. At the North Ward park a new band stand was erected with dressing-rooms, etc., a large portion graded and seeded and other necessary work done. At the Gorge Park a new landing stage and float, seats, public conveniences, etc., were installed.

Mr. Purdy suggests that this year for the better protection of the park property at Beacon Hill a dwelling for the caretaker should be erected and also a greenhouse and that that portion of the park south of Heywood avenue, where practically nothing has as yet been done in the way of improvements, should be drained while the roads and walks throughout require much work to put them in proper shape. At the North Ward park a new fence and more drainage facilities are recommended.

CORONATION GUESTS.

Status of Oversea Premiers at Coming Great Event.

With regard to the participation of the Dominions and Colonies in the coronation celebrations, the Prime Ministers of the Dominions attending the Imperial conference will be "royal guests" during the coronation, and other ministers attending the conference will be welcomed as distinguished visitors. The Crown Colonies will be divided into six groups, each represented by Governors or retired Governors, and in a few cases by unofficial representatives. As it is considered desirable that wherever possible the Governors shall themselves be in their own Colonies as representing the King, it is not likely that many Governors will be in London next June. The Premiers of the Australian States and of the Provinces of Canada have also been invited to the coronation as distinguished visitors. There will be a very full representation of troops from the Dominions and Colonies, but it will be almost entirely confined to white soldiers.

Sewerage Act, 1910.

ESQUIMALT SEWERAGE DISTRICT.

NOTICE

WHEREAS the Lieutenant Governor in Council has pursuant to the provisions of Subsection one of Section 7 of the Sewerage Act 1910, constituted All that the tract of land situated in the Esquimalt Electoral District bounded on the East by the Westerly boundary of the City of Victoria and on the North by the southerly boundary of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company's right of way and the easterly boundary of Section 2, Esquimalt District, and on the West and South by Esquimalt Harbor, the Straits of Fuca and Victoria Harbor, a Sewerage District under said Act, under the name of the "Esquimalt Sewerage District."

AND WHEREAS at a public meeting of the owners in said District, held at the Lampson Street Schoolhouse on January 26th, 1911, at the hour of eight o'clock, p. m., a resolution was passed unanimously that a public meeting of the owners in said district be held pursuant to Subsection Two of Section 3 of the said Act, at the Lampson Street Schoolhouse, on Tuesday, the 28th day of February, 1911, at the hour of 8 p. m., for the purpose of selecting three or more commissioners to execute the works in connection with sewerage in said District, and that notice of said meeting be published in the Daily Colonist, Daily Times and B. C. Gazette at least three weeks before the said date.

Therefore Take Notice, that a public meeting of the owners in said District will be held at the time and place aforesaid for the purpose of selecting three or more commissioners for the purposes aforesaid, under the provisions of sub-section 2 of section 3 of the said Act.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., the 28th day of January, 1911.

By order of the General Meeting.

A. R. WOLFENDEN,
Secretary.

THE ADVANCE MAN

DeAngelis To-night.

At the Victoria theatre this evening F. Ray Comstock will present Jefferson DeAngelis in DeKoven and Herbert's latest musical comedy success, "The Beauty Spot." During the seven months' run of the piece at the Herald Square theatre, New York, it was noted for its artistic scenery, brilliant light effects and rich costumes that made a feast for the eye, and although the piece has a list of principals that makes it distinguished it has also a chorus that, appropriately enough, made Herald Square "the beauty spot of Broadway."

Mr. DeAngelis resumes his tour in "The Beauty Spot" after an interruption which was caused by his engagement to head the all-star cast of "The Mikado" at the Casino during the summer months, and he resumes his career as an individual star with the prestige achieved by his support of a cast which included Fritzi Scheff, Christie MacDonald, Andrew Mack, Mr. Jacoby, William Pruette, and others.

"The Beauty Spot" is built around a simpering diplomat in Paris who has married an ex-model and is free and easy in all kinds of feminine society. Joseph W. Herbert claims credit for the libretto, a piece of work which one may suspect traces back to an original and Gaelic farce. Be that as it may, all the New York critics agreed that it was one of the best librettos that had been handed to a company for many days. There is wit in the dialogue, and the lyrics sound as if they were written by a versifier of real talent.

The musical numbers are bountiful and all of them bright. Those entrusted to the principals are well managed, and the conceited and dancing selections are excellently invented by a producer who can get effects without breaking his neck. Particularly expert in technique are the ensembles of which there art three.

The cast includes most of the original artists, namely: George J. Macfarlane, Viola Gillette, Florence Martin, Joseph Martin, Joseph Fay, Marcus Beeman, Inez Dean, Arvid Paulson, Ida Vantine and sixty others.

"Silver Threads."

Richard J. Jose who brings his own company in the rural drama, "Silver Threads," will be remembered from his appearance as a minstrel star, also a feature with Denman Thompson in the "Old Homestead." Mr. Jose has endeavored for years to secure a play in which he could appear before the public to an advantage, and after four years of striving Martin V. Merle hit upon a theme which he was successful in moulding into an interesting play which met with success and approval throughout the last season and which is now being presented by the original New York caste. Mr. Jose appears as Ben Laurie, the singing blacksmith of a small New England town, where the scenes of the play are laid and in which he has opportunity to sing the songs of old which have been dear to all for generations, as well as the hymns which are sung from the choir balcony of the church.

In Ben Laurie Mr. Jose has found a most congenial and suitable role, that of a whole-souled, good-natured individual who makes life brighter by his mere presence, and he has surrounded himself with a most efficient company selected from the headlines of the profession.

From a scenic standpoint nothing has been spared to perfect the details and it is said by press and public to be a production which will live in memory beyond that of "Shore Acres" and "Way Down East." It is a simple story of New England folks, plainly but beautifully told, containing just enough of bright, clean comedy to relieve the more serious situations. Beside Mr. Jose the cast includes Miss Louise Kent, Miss Sarah Lewis, Miss Edythe Cooke, Mr. Leslie Stowe, Mr. W. D. Stone, Mr. John Miesen, Mr. Hobart Cavanaugh and others, all of whom have been selected for their especial fitness for their roles.

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SAILING SHIPS GIVE WAY TO STEAMSHIPS

British Shipping Companies Disposing of Windjammers —Norwegians Buy Most

From year to year the decrease in the number of British sailing ships continues. Losses at sea and sales to foreigners have removed a very large number of sailers from Lloyd's register, and the number of ocean-going boats has during the past couple of years been dwindling at the rate of 25 per cent. per annum. There are now only about 250 British sailing vessels of over 1,000 tons burden afloat. The Norwegian fleet of large size sailers now exceeds the British. The French have about 170 sailers of over 1,000 tons register, and the Germans over 150 of these craft including several vessels used exclusively as school ships for officers.

During the past six months alone about 5 per cent. of the ocean-going British sailing vessels have been lost by perils of the sea or broken up, and a further 15 per cent. have been written off as sold to foreign owners. Less expense is incurred in running ships under the Norwegian or German flag than under the British flag, there are fewer men employed and at lower wages, and British owners finding that they were unable to compete have been throwing their property on the market and selling the vessels, for which they paid $50 and $75 per ton, at an enormous sacrifice. The following British sailing vessels have been sold to foreigners during the past six months at the prices hereunder named:

Name	Tonnage.	Sale Price.
Strathgryfe	2190	£3850
Fulwood	1988	3000
Lonsdale	1685	2400
County of Cardigan	1220	1700
Cullpul	1316	2250
Charles Cotesworth	1631	1400
Ravenswood	1039	1400
Marion Josiah	2257	4600
Musselcrag	1871	4500
Procyon	1995	4125
Samaritan	1997	4250
Cadogan	1784	1800
Fairport	1851	4500
Windsor Park	1682	2400
East Indian	1693	3500
Caradoc	1951	2900
Aberfoyle	1597	2200
Melville Island	1425	1800
Battle Abbey	1465	2000
Pax	1397	2700
Wayfarer	1935	2200
Nellie Troop	1312	1000
Fals of Dee	1845	2800
Yola	1407	2600
Glendoom	1824	4000
Meinwen	1491	2800
Largiemore	1786	4250
Deckmant	1642	2300
Arranmore	1782	3500
Hyderabad	2100	4500
Carmanian	1775	3050
Celtic Queen	1753	3250
Loch Garve	1712	2450

The average price disclosed by these sales is only about $8.75 per ton. Many of the boats were sold by order of the mortgagees and have failed to meet the amount loaned upon them. Underwriters in Lloyd's several years ago complained that they were losing money over ocean sailing ships, and eventually reinsurance premiums on the vessels and their cargoes advanced to such an extent that British shipowners owning long distance craft found themselves compelled to advance freights or remain uninsured. Neither course was satisfactory, for if freights went up the steamships, making faster voyages, took the business, and the merchants were only too pleased to escape with the lower premiums. It is undoubtedly a serious matter for the reputation of British seamanship that the sailer is going out of fashion, and it seems likely that in the future a subsidy will be given to British sailing shipowners, similar to the bounty granted by the French government a few years ago under which the French sailing ships rapidly increased in numbers despite rate cutting by the British and German owners. There are at the present time practically no long distance sailing ships under construction in British yards.

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Bull Terrier Stands Guard Over the Dead Body of Master

There was a strange mixture of tragedy and comedy at a house in Bartholomew-close, London, when for six hours a bull-bitch, guarding her dead master's body, kept a considerable number of policemen at bay.

A man whose name is variously given as Hyatt and Hirett had for some two years occupied rooms over an eating house in Bartholomew-close. Little is known of the man, but he is believed to have been employed at a large drapery warehouse in the vicinity.

Each morning it was his custom to have his breakfast brought to his rooms and placed outside the door. This was done as usual the other morning, but at middday it was found that the food had not been taken in.

Hammering at the door brought no response at first, but later savage growls were heard from "Vic," the man's pet bull-bitch. The police were accordingly sent for, and an attempt was made to force a way into the room.

At this "Vic's" growls grew still more ferocious, and deeming discretion the better part of valor, the police bored a hole in the door, through which to reconnoitre the position. The sight which they saw was a ghastly one. Stretched on the floor of the room was the body of a man with his throat cut while prone on the body lay the faithful dog licking her master and growling and whining.

Another attempt to force the door was met by a furious onslaught from the dog, and it was decided that "Vic" must be disposed of before the room could be entered. A panel of the door was battered in. The police held a hasty consultation, ropes were obtained, and an abortive attempt was made to lasso the animal. A butcher's "long-arm" was next requisitioned, but this also proved useless, as did a tempting piece of meat on a string.

Reinforcements came up, a doctor was called, and drugs put temptingly in "Vic's" way. But she would have none of them. A friend of "Vic's," a bull terrier from a near-by shop, was next brought forward, but this only served to make matters worse. Round and round the room she flew, stopping to lift her head and whine, then crouched defiantly upon her owner's body. Chroloform was introduced through the broken door, but "Vic" was not to be tempted by that, nor by the saucer of milk and strychnine which the police next tried.

By 5 o'clock "Vic" was very effectually keeping at bay a force of six policemen, two sergeants, two plain-clothes men, an inspector, and the city beadle. To these besiegers came presently a fireman, but his help was not requisitioned.

From shortly after 1 o'clock until 7 o'clock the faithful "Vic" held the fort against all comers; but the superior force eventually won, and "Vic" bayed her last and succumbed to poison; although in which of the many offered her she found release did not transpire.

There was, of course, a large crowd staring blankly at the darkened window on the second floor, and there was no lack of suggestions as to what should be done. Most of these were traceable to the story of the Stepney siege.

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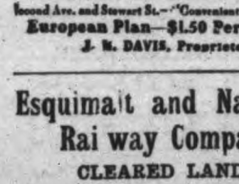

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Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 20th day of December, 1910.

MORESBY & O'REILLY,
Solicitors for the Executors of the Estate of the Above Named Deceased.

NOTICE.

Take notice that I intend to apply at the next regular sittings of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria for a transfer of the liquor license now held by me for the premises at the corner of Store and Cormorant streets, Victoria, B. C., known as the Lighthouse (formerly the Caledonia) to William Alexander Gatt, and that I will at the same time apply to have the name of the said licensed premises changed from the Caledonia to the Lighthouse.

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By order,
A. ST. G. FLINT,
Secretary.

SALARY INCREASED.

Grand Forks, Jan. 28.—At a meeting of the city council a communication was read from the city solicitor requesting an increase in his salary to $75 per month. Mr. Sutton was present at the meeting, and stated that since his appointment as city solicitor, two or three years ago, the legal business of the city had more than doubled. On motion of Ald. Davis and Smith, the increase was granted.

EX-CITY CLERK'S DOWNFALL.

Nelson, Jan. 28.—Sentenced by Judge Wilson to serve twelve months in the provincial jail for misappropriation of funds while holding the position of city clerk of Fernie last year, George H. Boulton has been brought to Nelson.

I have no respect for that self-boasting charity which neglects all objects of commiseration near and around it, but goes to the end of the earth in search of misery for the purpose of talking about it.—G. Mason.

REDUCING EXPENSE OF CLEARING LAND

How Ranchers of Arrow Lake Apply Principle of Conservation

Nelson, Jan. 28.—F. G. Fauquier, after spending a couple of days in Nelson following the Creston convention of the Associated Boards of Trade, left for his ranch at the Needles. He will push matters connected with the Ranchers' Union of the Arrow Lakes, of which he is president, and expects to have definite information on a number of points when again in Nelson. The movement begun by the formation of the Ranchers' Union is gathering force, and up and down the Arrow lakes individual ranchers are figuring what ties, props, cordwood and poles they can get out this winter, to be moved in the spring by the barge the C. P. R. has promised if the quantities are forthcoming.

Discussing the principle behind this movement to market forest products from the Arrow lake ranchers, Mr. Fauquier said:

"The primary idea of this movement, for the present, is to make the most of the timber on our land, when clearing it, instead of burning it, as is the common method, thus saving a very respectable amount of what was formerly a total loss. The trouble with too many ranchers is, that when they are approached on the matter of getting out ties and cordwood, they immediately alter their point of view, and instead of figuring that the clearing of the land is what they are spending their time and money for, and that any ties and cordwood amounts to so much velvet, come to the conclusion that, unless they can actually make a profit out of the ties and other products in themselves, the proposition is not worth while. Now, everyone knows that, almost anywhere in the Kootenays, cleared land, roughly speaking, is worth $100 an acre more than the same land before it is cleared. Thus, even if the forest products from a particular acre were manufactured and manufactured at a loss, so far as labor costs were concerned, the labor cost would have to be incurred anyway in clearing the land, and the returns from the forest products go to reduce the net expense of clearing that acre. For myself, I am putting in a gang of men to get out ties and I figure on making a profit of from $25 to $75 an acre on the forest products themselves. Suppose, however, instead of having a profit, I had an actual loss of $25 per acre. I would still be getting my land cleared. I would be paying less than the usual $100 for clearing, by whatever my forest products brought in.

"This rule applies, whether one is ranching on a small or large scale. Consider the case of the small rancher, who may be working for wages. He gets $3 a day from the government, spends $1 of that for board, and in the end saves $1. If he works for himself making up ties and the like, he is home with his family, he saves most of his board, and he is gradually increasing the value of his land $100 an acre by clearing it."

ROSSLAND COUNCIL.

Rossland, Jan. 28.—Although somewhat later in the month than usual, a start has been made in preparing for the winter carnival in Rossland. Already two meetings have been held. J. D. McDonald has been selected chairman and Percy B. Hunt, secretary. Committees have been formed, and all are hustling with a vigor, which, if maintained, will go far towards making the 1911 carnival one of the best ever held.

The idea is to confine the carnival this year to some of the bigger events, including the championships, and a grand hockey tournament. To this end communications have already been sent to Nelson, Greenwood, Grand Forks and Phoenix, which teams, with Rossland, would make up an excellent tournament for the various trophies. The carnival committee has decided to do away with the time limit.

ROSSLAND FINANCES.

Rossland, Jan. 28.—The financial statement of the city of Rossland for the year 1910 has just been issued by the city treasurer, J. F. Collins, and from it one may gather that the city is in a fairly satisfactory condition financially. The excess of assets over liabilities is $9,458.40. The receipts for the year were $70,666.72, including $14,744.42 for fees of various funds; $22,163.30 taxes; $10,584.11 school tax; $6,349.40 miscellaneous; $13,890.80 water rent. On the expenditure side the larger items are: School board expenses, including salaries, $17,190.33; fire department, $6,734.96; office department, $2,361.08; scavenging department, $2,183.35; board of works, $6,231.31; interest on debentures, $10,655; deposited to sinking funds, $10,025.40; waterworks, $3,884.09. The balance on hand is $1,384.48.

FIRE AT LADYSMITH.

Ladysmith, Jan. 28.—Fire completely destroyed Robert Harrop's residence on the waterfront, near the Dominion wharf, and also burnd a gasoline launch, the property of Robert Wilson, and partly burned Theo. Bryant's motor boat. Mr. Harrop cannot definitely state what the loss, but said $2,500 will not replace all that is lost. He carried $500 insurance.

The launch was worth about $400 and no insurance was carried on it. The other launches can be repaired.

PREPARING FOR RUSH IN SPRING

Grand Trunk Pacific Officials Expect Heavy Travel to Mining Districts

Prince Rupert, Jan. 28.—The coming summer will, it is safe to say, see a tremendous rush into the interior of the province by way of Prince Rupert. C. Van Arsdol, the engineer in charge of the western portion of the G. T. P., recently returned from the south. He says that there can be no mistaking the move that is to follow with the opening. The different mining camps in the west are all looking to the northern interior of British Columbia, and with the first move in the spring these will invade the district. He prophesies that there will be an influx into the Hazelton district this coming season quite as pronounced as was the rush to Portland canal last season.

The opinion of Mr. Van Arsdol is borne out by the many enquiries that are from time to time made from these mining centres in the western states with respect to the means of communication with the interior.

The Grand Trunk Pacific is preparing for a heavy trade up the river this year. For the early spring rush a suitable service will be provided for the first 100 miles, after which the river steamers will have to be resorted to. There will, however, be a steamer from the end of the rails to Hazelton or Ellison every day at least, so that no lack of accommodation should be found.

TAXES ON IMPROVEMENTS.

Kamloops, Jan. 28.—At a recent meeting of the city council Ald. Graham suggested that a reduction of taxation on improvements was hoped for by many citizens and the mayor stated that the assessor was present to give some figures for the use of the council. Assessor Drummond then presented a tentative report showing the value of the assessments as made by him. The net assessment could not be stated, however, until after the court of revision.

The mayor stated that while he approved of the principle of reduction of taxation upon improvements they had to have revenue from some source. Whether the increase of $3,655 at the 25c rate would give a sufficient increase in revenue to meet the increase, requirements for the year would have to be considered. In the meantime the report was referred to the finance committee.

Ald. Graham suggested that the rate of taxation might be increased to get revenue and still cut down the rate on improvements.

Ald. Rushton favored raising the assessment on the land.

FORESTERS HELD SMOKER.

(Special Correspondence.)

Gordon Head, Jan. 28.—On Tuesday evening, the 24th inst., the second anniversary smoker of the Court Douglas branch of the Foresters was held in the Cedar Hill temperance hall. A large number of members and friends attended and thoroughly enjoyed the splendid programme. One feature of the evening was a five hundred tournament. P. Rossin captured the first prize and R. Tomlinson the booby prize. Tasty refreshments were served about midnight. The programme was as follows: Speech, Councillor F. Hobbs; song, Capt. Cullin; song, E. W. Hammond; recitation, S. Williams; song, S. Thompson; song, Rev. H. Collison; recitation, S. Pollock; song, J. E. May; speech, R. Sevel; song, P. Harland.

A social and dance will be held in the Royal Oak hall on Tuesday, the 31st inst., to which all are cordially invited The social will be under the direction of the Victoria Farmers' Institute.

T. O. Thurburn has disposed of his house and property on Fellham road, L. Maclure was the purchaser.

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1st. For eight Heavy Cart Horses.
2nd. For eight Dump Carts.
3rd. For eight Sets Dump Cart Harness.

All the above to be as per specifications; which can be seen at the purchasing agent's office. Separate tenders for each kind will be received up to 4 p. m. on Monday, January 30th, 1911. Address all tenders to

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Purchasing Agent,
City Hall.

CIVIC NOTICE

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable:

1. To cut out all the rock on Asquith Street, between Edmonton Road and Ryan Street to the full width of the said Street, wherever the said rock is of a higher elevation than one foot below the level, as completed under By-law No. 748.

2. To cut out all rock on Forbes Street, between Edmonton Road and Ryan Street to the full width of said Street, wherever the said rock is of a higher elevation than one foot below the level of the sidewalk as completed under By-law No. 748.

3. To cut out all rock on Cecil Street between Edmonton Road and Ryan Street to the full width of said Street, wherever the said rock is of a higher elevation than one foot below the level of the sidewalk, as completed under By-law No. 748.

4. To cut out all rock on Victor Street, between Edmonton Road and Ryan Street, to the full width of the said Street, wherever the said rock is of a higher elevation than one foot below the level of the sidewalk;

And that all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-law and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said By-law, upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said works and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the Council:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas Street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement above mentioned, signed by a majority of the owners of land or real property to be assessed for such improvement, and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property, is presented to the Council within 15 days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvement upon such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement as the Council may by by-law in that behalf regulate and determine.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B. C., Jan. 24th, 1911.

Tenders for Valves and Pig Lead

Separate tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. on Friday, the 3rd day of March, 1911, for the following:

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City Hall, Jan. 25, '11.

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C. ELWOOD WATKINS, Architect, Rooms 1 and 2 Green Block, cor. Broad and Trounce Ave. Phones 2138 and L1398.

L. W. HARGREAVES, Architect, Green Blk., Room 12, Broad St. j4 tf

H. S. GRIFFITH, 14 Promis Block, 1006 Government street. Phone 1489.

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GREEN BROS. & BURDEN, Dominion and B. C. Land Surveyors, with offices at Nelson (13 years) and Fort George (1 year), will on Feb. 15th open third branch, Rooms 114 and 115, Pemberton Building, Victoria. f16

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K. OF P.—No. 1, Far West Lodge, Friday, K. of P. Hall, cor. Douglas and Pandora Sts. J. L. Smith, K. of R. & S. Box 544.

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Statutes of B. C. 1907
Re Victoria West Arbitration

TAKE NOTICE that I, the undersigned being the Arbitrator duly appointed by law in and about the determination of the matters intrusted to me under Statutory Authority in the adjustment of the Official Map of Victoria West, will hold my final sitting for the purpose of closing the proceedings and considering my final award, on Monday, the 6th day of February, 1911, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Justice Room, City Hall, Victoria.

AND TAKE NOTICE that all persons whose claims have not been considered or adjusted by me, and who have and desire to make, any claim which I have authority to deal with, are directed to appear before me at the time and place aforesaid, and to give at least three days' previous notice in writing of their intention so to do, to Messrs. Mason & Mann, acting as Solicitors for the Corporation of the City of Victoria, at 1112 Langley Street.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said sitting I shall proceed to make my final award, having reference only to such matters as have been brought before me.

Dated this 5th day of January, 1911.

D. R. HARRIS,
Arbitrator.

NOTICE.

Take notice that I intend to apply at the next regular sittings of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria for a transfer of the liquor license now held by me for the premises at the corner of Store and Johnson streets, Victoria, B. C., and known as the Queen's Hotel, to Frederick Lewis Smith.

Dated this 21st day of December, 1910.

WM. BAYLISS.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN ALEXANDER CAMPBELL, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of John Alexander Campbell, deceased, are hereby required to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned, on or before the 10th day of February, 1911. And take notice that after said 10th day of February, 1911, the administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall have notice, and that said administratrix will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim she shall not then have received notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 5th day of January, 1911.

C. L. HARRISON,
Law Chambers,
Bastion St., Victoria, B. C.,
Solicitor for Margaret Waites, the Administratrix of Said Estate.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

To Edward Purser or the Legal Representatives of Edward Purser, Registered and Assessed Owner of Section 115A, Sooke District.

Take notice that an application has been made to register Stanley McB. Smith as the owner in fee simple of the above Section under a Tax Sale Deed from the Assessor of Victoria District, and you are required to contest the claim of the Tax Purchaser within 30 days from the first publication hereof.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia, this 23rd day of September, 1910.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar General of Titles.

NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CHARLES CONSTABLE REVANS, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors of the estate of the said deceased are requested, on or before the 5th day of February, 1911, to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned, duly verified, and all parties indebted to said estate are required to pay such indebtedness forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., the 4th day of January, A. D. 1911.

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Solicitors for Oscar Lucas, Executor.

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FOR SALE—3 h. p. "Eagle" marine engine, almost new, in good condition. Apply 904 Russell. j31

FOR SALE—2 h. p. Buffalo launch engine, complete, good condition, cheap. Box 262, Times Office. j30

THE LONDON SECOND-HAND EXCHANGE CO.—We pay the highest cash price for cast-off clothing, such as ladies' and gents' boots and shoes, hats, all kinds of tools, guns and pistols. All kinds of books bought. Stern & Flash, 1601 Store street. Telephone 1128.

FOR SALE—Portable chicken house, almost new, very cheap. Apply 1315 N. Pembroke street. f1

28 FT. x 8 FT. Columbia River sailboat, $100. E. Stocks, 210 Cross street. j31

FOR SALE—Good safe. Apply 531 Yates street. j31

FOR SALE—Sash, varnished, 12 ft. 3 in. by 6 ft. 10 in., lights 3 ft. 8 in. by 2 ft. 2 in., suitable private office. Flint & Co., Trounce Ave. j30

MILK BUSINESS FOR SALE—Large routes, good equipment; splendid opportunity for man with small capital. Address Box 943, Times Office. f4

FOR SALE—To poultrymen, 1,500 lbs. of alfalfa meal, $2 per sack of 100 lbs. Apply to B. G. Haigh, Royal Oak, B. C. d28 tf

GREENHOUSES, flat bottom boats, long ladders, steps, meat safes, dog houses, in stock and made to order. Jones, Capital Carpenter and Jobbing Factory, 1003 Yates St., cor. of Vancouver St.

FOR ALTERATIONS, repairs and jobbing, call on J. W. Bolden, carpenter and jobber, corner Fort and Quadra. Tel. L1752.

FOR SALE—Navy overcoats, $4.50; heavy wool blankets, $2.50; safety razors, 75c.; opera glasses, $2.50; polishing lathe, $6; Wade & Butcher razors, $1. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson street, 6 doors below Government, Victoria, B. C. Phone 1747.

FOR SALE—LOTS

TWO CORNER LOTS, Cook and Topaz, $600 each; twenty-five acres, part of section 127, Lake District, $1,000; lot 22, Blackwood street, between King's road and Hillside, $750, 1-3 cash; twenty-five acres, near Cedar Hill, between five and ten acres cleared, $6,700. Apply Geo. L. Powers, Room 12, Green Block, Broad street. j31

BARGAIN LOT—Reid street, just off Quadra street and south of Mount Tolmie road, fine high lot, $475, ⅓ cash; also fine high lot on Fifth street, near Topaz, only $600. Bagshawe & Co., 1216 Broad street. j31

BARGAIN IN LOTS—Prior street, between Hillside and King's road, fine, high and dry, two together, 50x124 each to a 20 ft. lane, the cheapest lots in the district, only $800 each; 1-3 cash. Bagshawe & Co., sole agents, 1216 Broad St. j31

SHAKESPEARE STREET—Lot 50x120, $425; $50 down, $15 a month; high and dry, near Edmonton street. Box 286, Times. j31

CHEAPEST WATER FRONTAGE, close to Victoria, on Portage Inlet, within ½ mile of C. N. Railway and E. & N. Railway; 7 acres at $500 per acre; ⅓ cash, balance to arrange. R. W. Clark, Room 8, Mahon Building. j31

FORT ST. AND BELMONT AVE.—Large corner piece, over 100 ft. on Fort street and 116 ft. on Belmont, with 7 room house, bath, electric light and all modern conveniences. Pandora street, when extended, will come through close to this property. Price $5,000, on terms. R. W. Clark, Mahon Building. j30

HILLSIDE AVENUE—Good, full sized, building lot, $1,000, on easy terms. R. W. Clark, Mahon Building. j30

GRAHAM STREET—One lot at $750. R. W. Clark, Mahon Building. j30

PRIOR STREET—One lot at $650. R. W. Clark, Mahon Building. j30

CORNER LOT, on Quadra street, 62x121, $1,800; 1-3 cash, balance 6 and 12 months. Hinkson Siddall & Son, Grand Theatre Building. j30

FOR SALE—Lot on Harriet street, 50x135, cheap, $650. Apply owner, Box 233, Times. f16

PRIOR STREET—2 lots at $650 each, terms to suit. Hinkson Siddall & Son, Grand Theatre Building. j31

WE HAVE A LARGE LIST of building lots and houses that we do not advertise; anyone looking for property either for business or homes will do well to consult us. Hinkson Siddall & Son, Grand Theatre Building. j31

PRINCESS AVENUE, just east of City Park, choice lot, 60x120, for $1,500, terms. Owner, P. O. Box 551. f21

FOR SALE—Close in, 3 lots, with 5 cottages, rental at $85; price $10,000. Box 945, Times Office. f4

LAUNDRY FOR SALE—On Simcoe street, block 29, lot 20, triangle shape; price $4,000. Apply 1709 Government St.

FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—Pony, cheap. Apply Pony, Esquimalt Post Office. j30

FOR SALE—Pony and outfit. Victoria Transfer. f10

FOR SALE—Eight brood sows, one pedigreed Yorkshire boar, horses of all classes; also cows, second-hand buggies, wagons and harness. Apply I. J. J. Fisher, carriage shop, 642 Discovery.

FOR SALE—HOUSES

FIRST-CLASS BUY on Niagara street, six room house, outbuildings and nearly half an acre land, $3,250; cash $500, mortgage for $1,600, balance to arrange. R. W. Clark, Room 8, Mahon Building. j31

WE HAVE a number of commodious homes on Pandora street ranging in prices from $4,000 to $11,000; these residences are modern in every respect. Hinkson Siddall & Son, Grand Theatre Building. j31

STANLEY AVENUE—Close to Fort street, a modern six room house, every convenience, large lot, price $4,600; on terms, $500 cash, balance arranged to suit the purchaser. This is a snap. See Shaw Real Estate Company quickly. 302 Pemberton Block. j31

LINDEN AVENUE—For sale, eight roomed house, near Richardson. Owner, 825 Broughton street. j30

FOR SALE—New, modern, 6 roomed bungalow, cement basement and sidewalk, large lot, on Pendergast street. Particulars, apply owner, 1426 Gladstone avenue. Phone R1827. f19

WANTED—Owners to list houses for sale or rent with us. Shaw Real Estate, 302 Pemberton Block. Phone 1094. m19 tf

REMOVAL NOTICE

THOMAS CATTERALL, builder and general contractor, has removed to 937 Fort street, above Quadra. Tel. 820.

MISCELLANEOUS

ADVERTISEMENTS under this head 1 cent per word per insertion; 3 insertions, 2 cents per word; 4 cents per word per week; 50 cents per line per month. No advertisement for less than 10 cents.

FOR SALE—ACREAGE

HALF ACRE, Burnside road, close in, good soil, $1,475; $400 cash, balance easy. Box 279, Times. j30

SOOKE—We have several snaps in Sooke acreage at from $10 per acre, terms to be arranged. Hinkson Siddall & Son, Grand Theatre Building. j31

FOR SALE—25 acres of land, partly improved. Apply owner, J. Gunn, grocery. j30

FOR SALE—14,000 acres of fine agricultural land. Owners will sell equity at very low sum. This is somebody's chance to secure large tract of land suitable for colonization at practically staking cost. Leonard, Reid & Co., Pemberton Block, city. j30

FOR SALE—1-3 acre on Burnside road, block from Douglas street car; price $1,000, on easy terms. Owner, J. McKenzie, 489 Garbally road. f3

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Two girls as clerks, with experience preferred. At Bancroft's. f2

WANTED—Young girl, for light house work, family of two, good home. Apply Box 268, Times Office. f2

TWO GIRLS WANTED. Apply Victoria Steam Laundry, 816 Yates street. f1

WANTED—Competent general servant, two in family, small house. Apply Mrs. Leask, 821 Burdette avenue. j31

WANTED—2 girls. Apply Standard Steam Laundry, 841 View street. j31

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Good engineer to drive boiler, good time-keeper, sober and industrious. Apply at once, Pacific Coast Construction Co., Wharf street, foot of Yates. j31

LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED—Dark Jersey cow, from 765 Hillside avenue. Please notify Dixi H. Ross & Co. j31

LOST—Will the person finding a pair of gent's kid gloves in Grand Theatre, second performance, Wednesday evening, please return to the Theatre office? j30

LOST—Friday, 20th inst., between 1045 Fort street and corner of Cook, child's silver bracelet, "Chinese characters." Kindly return to 1045 Fort street. j24 tf

MISCELLANEOUS

TAKE NOTICE that a meeting of the creditors of the Royal Victoria Athletic Association, Limited, will be held on the 6th day of February, 1911, at the office of Elliott, Maclean & Shandley, Bastion street, Victoria, B. C., at the hour of 4 o'clock in the afternoon. D. Fraser, liquidator. f4

TO RENT—Suitable for carpenter shop, also stable, on Yates street. Apply Ferris & Barf, 1211 Quadra. f3

STUMP PULLING—Let us give you a figure to any size job; also stump pullers for sale. Phone L1781. Robert H. Ducrest, 466 Burnside road. j31

MONEY TO LOAN on improved property at lowest current rates. Heisterman, Forman & Co., 1212 Broad street. j30

FOR SALE—A small confectionery and baking business, close to centre of city, going cheap. C. H. Richardson, Redfern Block, Government street. j30

LADIES, phone R1962 and an experienced hairdresser, shampooer or manicurer will call at your residence. f18

THE ANNUAL MEETING of shareholders of the Silver Band Mining Co., Ltd., will be held on Wednesday, February 8, 1911, at 8 p. m., at 1202 Wharf street, Victoria, B. C. f8

PLAIN SEWING done at home, reasonable. Mrs. Griffiths, 840 Courtney. f3

GARDENING! GARDENING!—In all its branches, undertaken by James Bettles. Address, Monterey Ave., Oak Bay P. O. f3

CAPITAL CARPENTER AND JOBBING FACTORY—Alfred Jones, builder and contractor. Estimates given on houses, buildings, fence work, alterations, etc. 1003 Yates street. Office Phone L1828. Res., R1003.

LIST YOUR PROPERTY with G. S. Leighton, 725 Fort street. Phone 2533. j2 tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

GRADUATE NURSE wants passage or assisted passage to England in return for services. Apply Box No. 196, Times. j30

WANTED—Position as daily governess; English, French, music, etc. Teacher, 328 Menzies street. j30

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOM AND BOARD for 1 or 2 young men. 860 Queen's avenue. f4

TO LET—Comfortable room, furnished, end Douglas car. Apply Box No. 264, Times. j30

NICELY FURNISHED FRONT ROOM, for lady, board if desired, reasonable. 1223 Fisguard, near corner Pandora and Chambers. f26

FURNISHED DOUBLE ROOMS, board if desired, reasonable. 729 Fisguard. j31

CAHALAN—A pleasant private home, opposite the lake, Beacon Hill park; double and single rooms, heated; good table; terms moderate. Cahalan, 325 Douglas street. Phone R2617. f18

PRIVATE BOARD, with elegant rooms, close to Parliament Buildings, very desirable, prices reasonable. Mrs. A. McDowell, 506 Government street. f10

NEW HOTEL BRUNSWICK—Best location, no bar, strictly first-class, special winter rates, two entrances. Corner Douglas and Yates. Phone 317.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Furnished rooms, 2 or 3, suitable for light housekeeping. Terms. Box 288, Times. j31

WANTED—5 or 6 room cottage, James Bay. Apply Box No. 265, Times. j30

WANTED—Household furniture. Apply 533 Johnson street, upstairs. f28

NEW AND SECOND-HAND GOODS WANTED—Highest cash price paid for cast-off clothing, boots and shoes, carpenters' tools, pistols, shotguns, trunks, valises, etc. Phone or send a card and we will call at any address. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson street, 6 doors below Government, Victoria, B. C. Phone 1747.

LADY (certificated teacher) desires pupils for the pianoforte. 1020 Pandora avenue. f10

WANTED—Second-hand silent salesman and wall cases. Box A157, Times. f7

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS to let. 1118 Cook street. j31

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as real estate, financial and general agents and brokers in the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to Robert William Clark at Mahon Block, Victoria aforesaid, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said Robert William Clark, by whom the same will be settled.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 2nd day of January, 1911.

WILLIAM COLBORNE BOND.
ROBERT WILLIAM CLARK.

Cook Street, Fairfield Estate, on Car Line

Extra large lot, 63x148, for $1,500. This is a snap. The next lot is held at $1,875.

BUY THIS LOT AT $1,500

On terms of $500 cash; balance in six, twelve and eighteen months.

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575 Yates Street VICTORIA, B. C.

FIRE AT VANCOUVER.

Vancouver, Jan. 28.—The fire department was called to the building at the southwest corner of Granville and Dunsmuir streets, to find smoke issuing from every window. The fire was found to have started in the front of the basement, which was filled with furniture stored there by the Bligh Furniture Company.

Despite the thick, smothering smoke every one managed to get out of the building, although five women, working for the Eastern Ladies' Tailor shop upstairs, became confused and were rescued after much exertion on the part of the firemen and some of the staff of the Ritz cafe. The principal losers are the Bligh company, their loss amounting to about $2,000. The office of the Alliance Trust Company suffered rather severely from water, and papers, maps and office fittings of unknown value were destroyed. The Ritz cafe report damage of $500 to supplies.

SOOKE NOTES.

The school concert on the 26th inst. proved most enjoyable. The following contributed to the programme: Misses Agnes Milne, Tilly and Carrie Sanderson, M. Emmerson, K. O. Rourke, Mrs. Chamberlain, Mrs. Arden, and Messrs. Bonycastle Dale, Eric Pyrah, E. Coffin, Bertram Mugford, Arthur Stewart and Penton Crock. Miss C. Stewart presided at the organ. Trustee E. Milne acted as chairman.

One fishing company have resumed preliminary work on the traps.

S. P. C. A. SUPERINTENDENT.

Vancouver, Jan. 28. — Major P. G. Tofft, who served for several years in the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, the Canadian militia and also in the attorney-general's department of the Northwest and Saskatchewan governments, has been appointed superintendent of the S. P. C. A. in this city. He will have charge of the administrative portion of the work of the society, devoting his full time to that particular work. He will be assisted by Inspectors Pengelly and Robinson.

Department of Militia and Defence.

Auction Sale of Condemned Ordnance Stores.

Under the direction of the Honorable the Minister of Militia and Defence, a Public Auction will be held on Tuesday, 28th February, 1911, at the Ordnance Depot at Esquimalt, B. C., for the sale of certain Condemned Ordnance Stores, comprising various artificers' tools; pitch; tar; pulley blocks; oars and various boat stores; 5,800 lbs. of gunpowder; 5,000 electric detonators; military capes; old leather; old metals, and various other articles.

Captain M. C. Gillin, the Senior Ordnance Officer at Esquimalt, will furnish any other information which may be required.

Articles purchased must be removed within seventy-two hours after the sale.

Sale at ten o'clock a. m.

Terms—Cash.

EUGENE FISET,
Colonel.
Deputy Minister of Militia and Defence.
Ottawa, January 16, 1911.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.
(H.Q. 96—42—10.)

LAND ACT.

DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE III.

Take notice that Samuel G. Parker, of Bella Coola, occupation bookkeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the S. E. corner of B. C. D. Co.'s Lot 237, on the west side of South Bentinck Arm, thence west 80 chains, thence south 20 chains to timber lease 17506 and B. C. D. Co.'s Lot 149, thence east 80 chains more or less to the shore line of South Bentinck Arm, thence north 20 chains along the shore line to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

SAMUEL G. PARKER.
B. FILLIP JACOBSEN, Agent.
September 10th, 1910.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned as real estate and commission agents, under the firm name of Galloway & Mackenzie, of Victoria, B. C., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the said partnership are to be paid to A. Mackenzie at his office, Green Block, 1216 Broad street, and all partnership debts to be paid by him, and that the business in future shall be continued under the name of A. Mackenzie.

W. R. GALLOWAY.
A. MACKENZIE.
Victoria, January 23rd, 1911.

BUY THE TIMES.

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Vancouver and Eastern Canada.
Close daily at 3 p. m. and 11 p. m.
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Close Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 11 p. m.; parcel post, Friday, at 6 p. m.
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Close daily at 4 p. m.
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Close Monday and Wednesday at 3 p. m.
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Prince Rupert, Port Essington, Hazelton, etc.
Close Monday and Wednesday at 3 p. m.; also January 7 and 21.
Due Tuesday and Saturday at 7 p. m.

Clayoquot and Way Ports.
Close January 1, 7, 14 and 20.
Due January 4, 12, 18 and 28.

Quatsino, Kyuquot, Ports Beyond Clayoquot.
Close January 20.
Due January 28.

Quatsino via Hardy Bay.
Close January 4, 11, 25, and February 1.
Due January 2, 9, 16, 30.

Alberni, Comox, Cumberland.
Close Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8.30 a. m.
Due Tuesday at 12.10 p. m.; Wednesday, Friday and Sunday at 7 p. m.

Sidney and V. C S. Points.
Close, except Sunday, at 7 a. m.
Due, except Sunday, at 7 p. m.

China and Japan.
Due January 2, 6, 9, 12, 13, 20, 21, 26, and February 2.
Close January 3, 5, 8, 9, 16, 19 and 27.

Australia and New Zealand.
Close January 25, 27.
Due January 9, 10.

Honolulu.
Close January 1, 3, 8, 10, 14, 16, 24, 25, 27.
Due January 2, 9, 10, 16, February 2.

Dawson, Atlin, White Horse, Etc.
Close January 2, 7, 14, 18, 21, 24, 31, February 3.
Due uncertain.

South Africa.
Close January 5, February 2.

FIRE ALARMS

3—Government and Superior Sts.
4—Government and Battery Sts.
5—Menzies and Michigan Sts.
6—Menzies and Niagara Sts.
7—Montreal and Kingston Sts.
8—Montreal and Simcoe Sts.
9—Dallas Road and Simcoe St.
12—Avalon Road and Government St.
13—Chemical Works, Erie St.
14—Vancouver St. and Burdette Ave.
15—Douglas and Humboldt Sts.
16—Rupert and Humboldt Sts.
17—Cook St. and Fairfield Road.
18—Linden Ave. and Rockland Ave.
19—Moss St. and Fairfield Road.
21—Yates and Broad Sts.
23—Government and Fort Sts.
24—Yates and Wharf Sts.
25—Government and Johnson Sts.
26—Douglas St., at Victoria Theatre.
27—Blanchard and View Sts.
28—Spencer's Arcade.
31—Fort and Quadra Sts.
32—Yates and Cook Sts.
34—Rockland Ave. and St. Charles St.
35—Fort St. and Stanley Ave.
36—Fort St. and Oak Bay Ave.
37—Fort St. and Richmond Ave.
38—Pembroke and Shakespeare Sts.
39—Oak Bay Ave. and Davie St.
41—Pandora Ave. and Quadra St.
42—Blanchard and Caledonia Aves.
43—Cook St. and Caledonia Ave.
45—Pembroke St. and Spring Ridge.
46—Gladstone and Stanley Aves.
47—Pandora Ave. and Chambers St.
48—Quadra St. and Queen's Ave.
51—Douglas and Discovery Sts.
52—Government St. and Princess Ave.
53—King's Road and Blanchard Ave.
54—Government and Douglas Sts.
56—Oakland Fire Hall.
57—Lemon & Gonnason's Mill, Orchard St.
58—Hillside Ave. and Grahame St.
61—Cormorant and Store Sts.
62—Discovery and Store Sts.
63—Bridge and John Sts.
64—Craigflower Road and Belton Ave.
65—Mary and Lime Sts.
67—Pleasant St., at Moore & Whittington's Mill.
72—Russell and Wilson Sts.
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Rich Dessert, lb. ..... 50¢	Alexandra, lb. ..... 35¢
Rich Assorted, lb. ..... 40¢	Oat Cakes, packet ..... 15¢

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Independent Grocers, 1317 Government St.
1316 Broad St. Tels. 50, 51, 52. Liquor Dept. Tel. 1590.

Exchange Real Estate Co.

718 Fort Street. Phone 1737.

SNAPS IN LOTS

$275—PARKDALE LOT, 10 minutes end of Douglas car, fine grass land, no rocks, houses being built all around; easy terms.

$425—BELVEDERE, mile City Hall, close Spring Ridge; $50 cash and $15 month; cheapest lots in city; only few left.

$325—WHITTIER AVENUE, 5 minutes car, close school and church, city water, fine lot.

$600—ROSS STREET, Foul Bay, close to car, fine lot; only $150 cash, $15 a month.

Davies & Sons
AUCTIONEERS

Instructed by Collector of Customs to sell by Auction

Unclaimed Goods

At
The Customs Warehouse, Facing the Bay, on

Monday, Feb. 6th
AT 1 P. M.

For particulars see Daily Times Thursday, February 2nd inst.

Auctioneer's Office, 565 Yates St.

Davies & Sons
AUCTIONEERS

Instructed by Mr. D. G. Walker to sell by Auction the contents of his Residence, 1831 Oak Bay Avenue, corner Clare Street, on

Friday, Feb. 3rd
AT 2 O'CLOCK.

Including Dominion Organ and Stool, set of 6 Antique Walnut Hair-seated Chairs, Bed Lounge upholstered in hair-cloth, Walnut Rocking Chair, 2 Oval Walnut Centre Tables, Walnut Whatnot, 3 Walnut Cane-seated Chairs, Walnut Extension and Leaf Table, Mahogany Sideboard, double set of Oak Leather-seated Dining Chairs (6 single and 2 arm), 3 Rocking Chairs, Pictures, Blinds, Curtains, fine Brussels Carpet, 2 Carpet Squares, Hall Carpet, Stairs Carpet, Bamboo Stand, and Mahogany Bedstead, Brass and Iron Beds, Springs and Mattresses, Feather Bed, Walnut Wardrobe, Mahogany and other Bureau and Washstand, Chairs, Tables, Towel Rail, Enameled Wardrobe, Child's Cot and Mattress, Domestic Sewing Machine, Dressmaker's Bust and Sundries.

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Duly instructed by Mrs. Gervais Wake will sell by Public Auction at her residence, Dominion Road, off the Craigflower Road, on

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At 2 o'clock, all her

Household Furniture and Effects

Including: Extension Table, Dining Chairs, Sideboard, Upholstered Chairs, Settee, Whatnot, Wicker Chairs, Sofa, Carpets, Blinds, Curtains, Pictures, Cushions, Albion Range, Kitchen Tables and Chairs, Carpet Sweeper, Pott's Irons, Cooking Utensils, Crockery, Iron Beds and Spring Mattresses, Top Mattresses, Chest of Drawers, Bureaus and Washstands, Toilet Ware, Oil Stove, fine Mahogany Bedstead, Ostermoor Mattress, Lawn Mower (nearly new), Garden Hose in good order, Wash Tub, Wash Board, Boiler, Garden Tools and other goods too numerous to mention.

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EXTRACT FROM
"BRITISH MEDICAL JOURNAL"
March 23, 1907.

"A Most Valuable Food"

At a time when the preparation of artificial foodstuffs is receiving more attention than ever before, and when new forms of easily assimilable fat to take the place of codliver oil are being frequently brought to the notice of the medical profession, it is desirable that some of the older forms of administering natural fats should not be lost sight of. Among natural fats, butter easily takes first place for nutritive value, and when combined with a suitable soluble carbohydrate, a most valuable food is produced.

The BUTTER SCOTCH which Messrs. Callard & Bowser (Duke's Road, Euston Road, W. C.) have prepared for fifty years, is such an article, which has the great advantage of being palatable, so palatable, in fact, that children are more likely to need restraining from excess than any persuading to take it. This BUTTER SCOTCH is stated to contain 11.7 per cent. of fat and 79.3 per cent. of sugar, and the results of an analysis which we have made recently of a specimen substantially confirm these figures; further chemical examination of the fat extracted showed it to be genuine butter fat. This confection can therefore be recommended, not only as a harmless sweetmeat, but also as a very useful addition to the diet in suitable cases.

In all the Principal candy stores in Victoria.

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Especially mothers, rely on CUTICURA SOAP and CUTICURA OINTMENT for the treatment of annoying irritations, inflammations and ulcerative weaknesses as well as for the toilet, bath and nursery.

ADOPT LIBERAL PARTY'S ADVICE

(Continued from page 1.)

Now Dr. McGuire has come round to John Oliver's view and doubtless hopes to convert his fellow Conservatives and the Socialists. The Liberal member does not need conversion on this point. The member for Vancouver has given notice of a resolution, in the identical language used by Mr. Oliver two years ago, except that instead of asking plump and plain for a commission he asks that the government consider the advisability of appointing one. The resolution is as follows:

"Whereas it would appear that the cost of coal to the consumer in the province of British Columbia is out of all proportion to the cost of production; and

"Whereas, owing to the abundance of the coal deposits in this province, and the proximity of the sources of supply to the market, the cost of coal to the consumer in British Columbia should be much less than at present is the case; and

"Whereas the excessive price of coal in British Columbia has the effect of retarding and preventing the establishment in this province of industries depending upon a fuel supply; and

"Whereas much of the product of the coal mines of the province is being exported to foreign markets and sold at a price that enables it to compete with coal from other countries in such foreign markets; and

"Whereas a belief exists that there is an understanding between the persons or corporations controlling or owning such coal mines to maintain the high prices now being charged to consumers in this province:

"Therefore, be it resolved, that an humble address be presented to his honor the lieutenant-governor by this House, praying him to consider the advisability of appointing a royal commission to inquire into the following questions:

"1. Whether or not a combine or understanding exists among the coal producers, or any of them, of this province to establish and maintain prices charged for coal?

"2. Whether or not coal is being sold by producers, or any of them, for consumption outside British Columbia for a less price than that sold for consumption in the province?

"3. Whether or not the price charged by the producers, or any of them, for coal consumed in British Columbia is excessive?

"4. Whether or not the prices charged by the producers, or any of them, of coal in British Columbia bears a reasonable proportion to the cost of production?"

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Jan. 30.—5 a. m.—Milder weather is becoming general throughout this province and rain is falling along the Coast from California to the Columbia river. More snow is reported in Cariboo, and milder weather is spreading eastward across the prairie provinces.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Tuesday.

Victoria and vicinity—Northerly and easterly winds, becoming unsettled and milder, followed by rain.

Lower Mainland—Northerly and easterly winds, becoming unsettled and milder, followed by rain.

Reports at 5 a. m.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 32; minimum, 30; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, 32; minimum, 32; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, 6; minimum, 4; wind, 4 miles S. W.; snow, .04; weather, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.46; temperature, 20; minimum, 16; wind, calm; snow, .40; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.46; temperature, 26; minimum, 22; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, part cloudy.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 8 below; minimum, 22 below; wind, 10 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Saturday:

Temperature.

Highest	40
Lowest	33
Average	36

Rain, .31 inch.

Bright sunshine, 2 hours 30 minutes.

General state of weather, partly cloudy.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Sunday:

Temperature.

Highest	38
Lowest	30
Average	34

Bright sunshine, 48 minutes.

General state of weather, mostly, cloudy.

FIGHT FOR FAIR SITE.

Governor of Louisiana Attacks Claims of San Francisco.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.—At the hearing to-day before the senate committee, Governor Sanders of Louisiana, attacked the claims of San Francisco as the site for the Panama exposition. He said that under both the resolutions presented by San Francisco and New Orleans the federal government would be equally responsible to the foreign nations whom it would invite to make exhibits. Under the San Francisco resolution Governor Sanders said the government would have the responsibility without the power, but under the New Orleans resolution it would have the power of supervision.

"Our bill does not provide for any subsidiary appropriations," said Governor Sanders. "We say that since the United States government will invite foreign nations to go to the expense of making exhibits it should also make an exhibit of its own resources. San Francisco says it does not want a government exhibit. So we are asked to put our government in the humiliating and ridiculous attitude of asking foreign countries to exhibit in an exposition we don't intend to patronize ourselves."

Sanders, after speaking for half an hour, suspended his address on account of the condition of his voice. He will address the committee again on Wednesday.

Sol. Wexler of New Orleans, vice-president of the largest national bank in the south, gave an analysis of the financial backing by New Orleans and said it was of the highest grade. Referring to San Francisco he said:

"We have no bootblack stand that can contribute $500 to the exposition funds, no Masonic lodges that can contribute $250,000, no merchants rated at $10,000 or $15,000 who feel themselves strong enough to give $25,000 to the exposition fund."

Mayor Behreman of New Orleans, and T. P. Thompson, president of the proposed southern exposition, also put in pleas for the Crescent City.

In the House the advocates of both cities are lined up for the vote to-morrow, which practically will decide where the fair shall be held.

San Francisco boomers are full of confidence and are making claims of larger support than any of the New Orleans boosters have so far advanced.

CALLED TO BRANDON.

Rev. Robert Milliken, Vancouver, Accepts the Invitation.

Rev. Robert Milliken, B.D., of Wesley church, Vancouver, has received and accepted an invitation to become pastor of the First Methodist church, Brandon, Man. Rev. J. C. Switzer, pastor of the Brandon church, has accepted an invitation to Wesley church and the exchange will take place next June.

The invitation to Mr. Switzer is for a short term of two years in order to allow the Rev. Eber Crummy, D.D., Grace church, Winnipeg, to become pastor of Wesley church in 1913. Dr. Crummy has accepted the invitation and the board of Wesley church are looking forward to great enlargement of the work of the church, commensurate with the growth of the city of Vancouver.

Rev. J. C. Switzer, who will be the pastor for two years, is one of the foremost of the younger generation of preachers in the prairie provinces. He has occupied some of the leading pulpits and in 1909 was the president of the Saskatchewan conference of the Methodist church.

JUBILEE HOSPITAL.

The Jubilee hospital directors interviewed the Premier on Saturday, asking a provincial grant of $200,000 towards the building of a new hospital to replace the present structure. H. B. Thomson, H. F. W. Behnsen and Fred Davey, city members, introduced the deputation and supported their application. The Premier promised serious consideration for the request in the framing of the estimates.

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FRENCH ART SATEEN on one side and the reverse fine French Art Sateen, 6 ft. x 6 ft. $15.00
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